# Supplement to Pittsburgh Commercial.

PITTSBURGH, MARCH 11, 1871.

# FISCAL AFFAIRS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY for 1870.

*To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Common Pleas:*

Herewith I submit Annual Statement of the Fiscal Affairs of Allegheny County, as directed by Act of Assembly of May 1st, 1861. In accordance with the provisions of said Act, you will please designate two newspapers of the County in which this Statement shall be published.

HENRY LAMBERT, *Controller*

January 24th, 1871, the within Report presented in open Court and ordered to be filed. *By the Court*

F H. COLLIER, *Assistant Judge.*

Filed in my office this 24th day of January, A D. 1871.

JOSEPH ROSS,
*Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas.*

## REVENUE.

*Interest Account.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from Central Bank on Treasurer's daily balance from Sept. 13th to Dec 13th, 1870 | | $1,400 82 |
| Amount received from Commercial Banking Co., on Treasurer's daily balance from Sept. 13th to Dec. 13th, 1870, | | 450 00 |
| | | 1,850 82 |

*County Gauger.*

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|---|---|---|
| Amount received from J. H. Nobbs | | 201 15 |

*Western Pennsylvania Hospital.*

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|---|---|---|
| Amount received from Directors of County Home for maintenance of sundry patients charged to and paid by the County | | 3,124 30 |

*Redemption of Land sold for Taxes.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from S. Sickman, M'Keesport, | | 19 14 |
| " " " Samuel Hood, Treas., deed No. 78, | | 7 07 |
| | | 17 21 |

*Interest and Expenses on R. R. Bonds.*

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|---|---|---|
| Amount received for premium on A. V. R. R. Co's. 7 3-10 mortgage bonds, | | 1,410 00 |

*Court of Quarter Sessions.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from S. B. Cluley, Sheriff. for fines, | $ 315 00 | |
| " " " " " verdict fees, | 40 00 | |
| " " " H. S. Fleming, Sheriff, for fines, | 1,602 37 | |
| Amount received from H. S. Fleming, Sheriff, for verdict fees, | 344 00 | |
| Amount received from Joseph Brown, Clerk of Courts, license fees, | 1,126 50 | |
| Amount received from A. L. Pearson, District Attorney, forfeited recognizances, | 435 20 | |
| Amount received from Joseph Brown, Clerk of Court, fines for contempt, | 20 00 | |
| Amount received from sundry parties, costs refunded, viz.: John McMurray, $41.10; J. Scanlon and Wm. Sill, $24.60 | 65 70 | |
| Simon Tiernan, $48.25; Rivers Drake, $22.75, | 71 00 | |
| Joe Samuels, $5.83; J. Roach, $15.43, | 21 26 | |
| P. Weyman, $20.32; C. Franzell, $28.50; | 48 82 | |
| | | 4,089 85 |

*Court of Common Pleas.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from S. B. Cluley, Sheriff, verdict fees, | 32 00 | |
| Amount received from H. S. Fleming, Sheriff, " | 328 00 | |
| Amount received from J. H. Walter, Prothonotary, " | 120 00 | |
| | | 480 00 |

*District Court.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from S. B. Cluley, Sheriff, verdict fees, | 32 00 | |
| Amount received from H. S. Fleming, Sheriff, " | 236 00 | |
| Amount received from J. H. Walter, Prothonotary, " | 68 00 | |
| | | 336 00 |

*Fines and Forfeitures.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from Alderman S. R. Lindsay, | 55 00 | |
| " " " J. S. Hollingshead, Justice of the Peace | 30 48 | |
| Amount received from Thomas Varner, Justice of the Peace, sale of estray, | 42 40 | |
| Amount received from W. J. Ford, Justice of the Peace, sale of estray, | 27 80 | |
| | | 155 68 |

*Gas Inspection.*

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|---|---|---|
| Amount received from Pittsburgh Gas Company, assessment 1870, | $3,939 00 | |
| Amount received from Allegheny Gas Company, assessment 1870, | 1,475 00 | |
| Amount received from Birmingham Gas Company, assessment 1870, | 611 00 | |
| | | 6,025 00 |

*Prothonotary's Office.*

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|---|---|---|
| Amount received from J. H. Walter, for costs, &c., | | 100 69 |

*Coroner's Office.*

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|---|---|---|
| Amount received from Alderman George Neubert, from body of J. M'Donough, | | 13 00 |

*Court House and Jail.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received for old stove, iron and matting, per W H. Glenn, | | 55 50 |

*County Jail.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount received from lost tickets for prisoners, to Work House, refunded per Mayor's Clerk | | 4 33 |

### Tabular Statement of County, State and Poor Taxes for 1869 outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, with Exonerations, as settled by Joseph F. Denniston, County Treasurer.

| DISTRICTS. | COUNTY TAX. | | | STATE TAX. | | | POOR TAX. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Outst'dg. | Collec'd. | Exon'd. | Out-st'dg. | Coll'c-ted. | Exon-erat'd. | Out-st'dg | Coll'c-ted. | Exon-erat'd. |
| PITTSBURGH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1st Ward, | 3,419 81 | 2,670 90 | 748 91 | 20 70 | 19 07 | 1 63 | | | |
| 6th " | 1,918 93 | 1,089 49 | 829 44 | 26 75 | 13 23 | 13 52 | | | |
| 7th " | 1,599 92 | 1,118 15 | 481 77 | 40 74 | 33 44 | 7 30 | | | |
| 11th " | 1,568 82 | 1,327 42 | 241 40 | 10 67 | 9 69 | 98 | | | |
| 14th " | 1,353 60 | 866 64 | 486 96 | 6 74 | 6 74 | | | | |
| 15th " | 992 69 | 735 46 | 257 23 | 4 26 | 4 10 | 16 | | | |
| 18th " | 513 09 | 420 25 | 92 84 | 25 43 | 24 36 | 1 07 | | | |
| BOROUGHS. | | | | | | | | | |
| Mt Washington, | 923 47 | 785 34 | 138 13 | 16 22 | 12 48 | 3 74 | 138 41 | 117 68 | 20 73 |
| Birmingham, | 2,016 54 | 1,413 09 | 603 45 | 11 04 | 9 46 | 1 58 | 288 15 | 198 05 | 90 10 |
| TOWNSHIPS. | | | | | | | | | |
| M'Clure, | 1,309 49 | 1,015 59 | 293 90 | 24 87 | 22 72 | 2 15 | 199 02 | 153 78 | 45 24 |
| Lower St. Clair, | 1,224 26 | 856 36 | 367 90 | 12 09 | 9 55 | 2 54 | 186 28 | 129 76 | 56 52 |
| South Fayette, | 823 76 | 634 25 | 189 51 | 23 74 | 2 | 23 72 | 124 16 | 96 01 | 28 15 |
| Union, | 799 50 | 603 82 | 195 68 | 11 42 | 9 87 | 1 55 | 119 60 | 90 47 | 29 13 |
| | 18,463 88 | 13,536 76 | 4,927 12 | 234 67 | 174 73 | 59 94 | 1,055 62 | 785 75 | 269 87 |

### Tabular Statement of Work House and Improvement Taxes for 1869, outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, with Exonerations as settled by Joseph F. Denniston, County Treasurer.

| DISTRICTS. | WORK HOUSE TAX. | | | IMPROVEM'T TAX. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Outst'g. | Coll'd. | Exn'd. | Outs'g. | Coll'd. | Exn'd. |
| PITTSBURGH. | | | | | | |
| 1st Ward, | 344 40 | 268 25 | 76 15 | 513 89 | 401 57 | 112 32 |
| 6th " | 188 61 | 104 13 | 84 48 | 285 56 | 160 97 | 124 59 |
| 7th " | 161 60 | 112 70 | 48 90 | 239 64 | 167 52 | 72 12 |
| 11th " | 158 59 | 133 90 | 24 69 | 236 00 | 199 62 | 36 38 |
| 14th " | 138 53 | 89 00 | 49 53 | 201 95 | 130 05 | 71 90 |
| 15th " | 100 18 | 74 09 | 26 09 | 150 69 | 113 93 | 36 76 |
| 18th " | 48 90 | 39 03 | 9 87 | 80 63 | 66 34 | 14 29 |
| BOROUGHS. | | | | | | |
| Mt. Washington, | 92 76 | 78 77 | 13 99 | 138 41 | 117 68 | 20 73 |
| Birmingham, | 206 27 | 144 34 | 61 93 | 288 15 | 198 15 | 90 00 |
| TOWNSHIPS. | | | | | | |
| M'Clure | 131 89 | 102 21 | 29 68 | 199 02 | 153 78 | 45 24 |
| Lower St. Clair, | 123 25 | 86 24 | 37 01 | 186 28 | 129 76 | 56 52 |
| South Fayette, | 83 33 | 64 38 | 18 95 | 124 16 | 96 42 | 27 74 |
| Union, | 81 42 | 61 17 | 20 25 | 119 60 | 90 89 | 28 71 |
| | 1,859 73 | 1,358 21 | 501 52 | 2763 98 | 2026 68 | 737 30 |

## EXPENDITURES.

### Appropriation No. 1.

*Funded Debt.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Certificates of Loan redeemed, Harriet Livingston, | $20,000 00 |
| Volunteer Bounty Bonds, due May 1st, 1868, redeemed, | 750 00 |
| Premium on gold, Harriet Livingston, | 1,312 50 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer | $22,062 50 |

### Appropriation No. 2.

*Interest.*

Warrants countersigned for—

### Tabular Statement of County and State Taxes assessed for the year 1870, and collected by County Treasurer, with Exonerations, Discounts allowed Tax-payers and amounts uncollected.

| DISTRICTS. | Valuation. | COUNTY TAX. | | | | | STATE TAX. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Assessed. | Collected. | Exonerated | Discounts. | Outstand'g | Assessed. | Collected. | Exonerated. | Discounts. | Outst'dg. |
| PITTSBURGH.—1st Ward | 2,019,031 | 24,228 38 | 19,016 96 | | 957 85 | 4,253 57 | 63 11 | 44 57 | | 2 31 | 16 23 |
| 2d " | 1,860,159 | 22,321 90 | 17,951 94 | | 910 31 | 3,459 65 | 441 27 | 265 22 | | 12 14 | 163 91 |
| 3d " | 1,943,459 | 23,321 49 | 19,254 26 | | 979 20 | 3,088 03 | 68 89 | 38 63 | | 2 01 | 28 25 |
| 4th " | 1,904,493 | 22,853 96 | 18,424 44 | | 962 53 | 3,466 99 | 280 98 | 243 59 | | 12 27 | 25 12 |
| 5th " | 608,592 | 7,303 10 | 4,837 39 | | 223 21 | 2,242 50 | 23 03 | 12 41 | | 28 | 10 34 |
| 6th " | 806,474 | 9,677 70 | 6,703 98 | | 317 55 | 2,656 17 | 71 77 | 40 59 | | 1 84 | 29 34 |
| 7th " | 636,320 | 7,635 89 | 5,248 07 | | 243 85 | 2,143 97 | 239 30 | 155 08 | | 7 25 | 76 97 |
| 8th " | 617,646 | 7,411 28 | 4,895 12 | | 222 22 | 2,293 94 | 161 53 | 115 80 | | 5 66 | 40 07 |
| 9th " | 1,183,220 | 14,198 64 | 12,014 15 | | 609 58 | 1,574 91 | 47 60 | 40 44 | | 2 11 | 5 05 |
| 10th " | 761,743 | 9,140 84 | 8,315 23 | 426 90 | 398 75 | | 28 00 | 24 79 | 2 05 | 1 16 | |
| 11th " | 675,487 | 8,104 53 | 5,747 32 | | 268 19 | 2,089 02 | 86 60 | 69 47 | | 3 58 | 13 55 |
| 12th " | 1,132,525 | 13,590 63 | 9,656 95 | | 478 51 | 3,455 17 | 31 14 | 23 85 | | 1 19 | 6 10 |
| 13th " | 330,441 | 3,965 09 | 2,480 82 | | 117 11 | 1,367 16 | 43 05 | 25 22 | | 1 28 | 16 55 |
| 14th " | 594,984 | 7,139 72 | 4,974 51 | | 240 97 | 1,924 24 | 111 04 | 83 56 | | 4 36 | 23 12 |
| 15th " | 421,779 | 5,061 39 | 3,537 16 | | 165 78 | 1,358 45 | 12 44 | 7 69 | | 39 | 4 36 |
| 16th " | 315,128 | 3,781 50 | 3,035 01 | 644 74 | 101 75 | | 23 77 | 17 03 | 5 98 | 76 | |
| 17th " | 643,882 | 7,726 53 | 5,163 41 | | 236 49 | 2,326 63 | 131 21 | 105 85 | | 5 49 | 19 87 |
| 18th " | 193,475 | 2,321 56 | 1,713 24 | | 82 97 | 525 35 | 65 18 | 42 86 | | 2 01 | 20 31 |
| 19th " | 325,651 | 3,907 63 | 2,811 50 | | 134 09 | 962 04 | 172 08 | 136 49 | | 6 75 | 28 84 |
| 20th " | 329,011 | 3,948 03 | 2,917 44 | | 137 38 | 893 21 | 172 24 | 137 73 | | 7 09 | 27 42 |
| 21st " | 318,539 | 3,830 57 | 2,538 37 | | 123 89 | 1,168 31 | 150 16 | 81 81 | | 4 20 | 64 15 |
| 22d " | 291,276 | 3,494 23 | 2,783 37 | | 141 19 | 569 67 | 151 44 | 118 96 | | 6 14 | 26 34 |
| 23d " | 276,118 | 3,313 22 | 3,058 16 | 141 72 | 113 34 | | 105 93 | 97 76 | 4 54 | 3 63 | |
| ALLEGHENY.—1st Ward | 1,322,638 | 14,671 64 | 13,653 49 | 519 03 | 499 09 | | 216 17 | 205 02 | 4 40 | 6 75 | |
| 2d " | 1,424,179 | 17,086 90 | 15,782 83 | 760 45 | 543 62 | | 221 29 | 198 24 | 15 91 | 7 14 | |
| 3d " | 1,239,672 | 14,876 06 | 9,391 49 | | 380 44 | 5,100 13 | 79 63 | 53 32 | | 2 40 | 23 91 |
| 4th " | 1,735,204 | 20,822 56 | 15,994 07 | | 744 85 | 4,083 64 | 251 81 | 202 09 | | 9 80 | 39 92 |
| 5th " | 786,337 | 9,435 97 | 6,493 62 | | 299 89 | 2,642 46 | 264 99 | 205 49 | | 10 27 | 49 14 |
| 6th " | 628,987 | 7,547 32 | 6,505 61 | 835 23 | 206 48 | | 125 05 | 85 38 | 36 04 | 3 63 | |
| 7th " | 308,179 | 3,697 31 | 2,274 73 | | 101 45 | 1,321 13 | 48 98 | 35 26 | | 1 57 | 12 15 |
| 8th " | 254,190 | 3,050 49 | 1,902 01 | | 77 94 | 1,070 54 | 78 22 | 57 65 | | 1 88 | 18 69 |
| BOROUGHS.—Sewickley | 142,839 | 1,713 95 | 1,628 64 | 43 34 | 41 97 | | 54 16 | 52 27 | 23 | 1 66 | |
| Bellevue | 60,286 | 723 49 | 576 73 | | 29 80 | 116 96 | 93 52 | 83 64 | | 4 40 | 5 48 |
| Millvale | 87,826 | 1,053 89 | 948 13 | 77 82 | 27 94 | | 15 33 | 11 61 | 3 51 | 21 | |
| Etna | 86,034 | 1,032 42 | 962 15 | 43 34 | 26 93 | | 5 24 | 5 03 | 4 | 17 | |
| Sharpsburg | 208,632 | 2,503 48 | 1,531 86 | | 75 15 | 896 47 | 12 84 | 11 08 | | 58 | 1 18 |
| Tarentum | 86,533 | 1,038 32 | 957 75 | 57 36 | 23 21 | | 25 85 | 19 98 | 5 30 | 57 | |
| Mount Washington | 220,577 | 2,646 99 | 1,739 88 | | 77 76 | 829 35 | 46 73 | 30 26 | | 1 48 | 14 99 |
| Union | 124,470 | 1,493 77 | 1,359 74 | 102 81 | 31 22 | | 8 33 | 7 86 | 37 | 10 | |
| Temperanceville | 205,630 | 2,467 56 | 2,272 88 | 120 78 | 73 90 | | 21 81 | 20 58 | 55 | 68 | |
| Monongahela | 226,890 | 2,722 68 | 2,426 29 | 184 14 | 112 25 | | 28 48 | 9 84 | 18 23 | 41 | |
| West Pittsburgh | 216,670 | 2,590 04 | 2,250 43 | 245 76 | 93 85 | | 12 53 | 4 35 | 8 00 | 18 | |
| South Pittsburgh | 436,579 | 5,237 77 | 4,684 32 | 383 68 | 169 77 | | 27 02 | 24 74 | 1 65 | 63 | |
| Birmingham | 830,219 | 9,962 71 | 7,562 15 | | 334 92 | 2,065 64 | 62 78 | 50 17 | | 2 01 | 10 60 |
| East Birmingham | 901,221 | 10,813 46 | 6,720 09 | | 301 49 | 3,791 88 | 77 75 | 47 55 | | 1 85 | 28 35 |
| Ormsby | 173,430 | 2,081 16 | 1,486 89 | | 73 79 | 520 48 | 19 47 | 14 11 | | 70 | 4 66 |
| Braddock | 103,274 | 1,239 29 | 1,058 81 | 150 99 | 29 49 | | 25 12 | 18 12 | 6 21 | 79 | |
| M'Keesport | 234,537 | 2,814 63 | 1,230 69 | | 54 31 | 1,529 63 | 109 33 | 41 34 | | 1 99 | 66 00 |
| West Elizabeth | 45,394 | 544 67 | 218 20 | | 10 92 | 315 55 | 6 93 | 3 79 | | 18 | 2 96 |
| Elizabeth | 112,669 | 1,352 02 | 586 31 | | 28 47 | 737 24 | 28 05 | 11 20 | | 59 | 16 26 |
| TOWNSHIPS.—Wilkins | 459,343 | 5,511 46 | 5,131 80 | 206 00 | 173 66 | | 99 79 | 90 18 | 6 48 | 3 13 | |
| Penn | 376,145 | 4,517 64 | 4,238 91 | 159 18 | 119 55 | | 67 33 | 61 69 | 3 75 | 1 89 | |
| Plum | 335,324 | 4,022 67 | 2,977 60 | | 128 82 | 916 25 | 92 75 | 64 90 | | 2 87 | 24 98 |
| North Versailles | 256,635 | 3,079 17 | 2,810 99 | 166 99 | 101 19 | | 40 59 | 35 54 | 3 81 | 1 24 | |
| South Versailles | 250,378 | 3,003 81 | 1,390 59 | | 62 24 | 1,550 98 | 47 51 | 21 96 | | 72 | 24 83 |
| Reserve | 184,701 | 2,214 78 | 1,373 86 | | 63 59 | 777 33 | 56 99 | 36 41 | | 1 84 | 18 74 |
| M'Clure | 430,214 | 5,162 52 | 4,777 21 | 210 96 | 174 35 | | 130 94 | 117 59 | 8 72 | 4 63 | |
| Ohio | 98,978 | 1,187 72 | 1,137 67 | 12 48 | 37 57 | | 18 64 | 18 07 | 5 | 52 | |
| Leet | 111,592 | 1,338 98 | 913 93 | | 42 12 | 382 93 | 80 27 | 50 92 | | 2 47 | 26 88 |
| Kilbuck | 198,252 | 2,378 28 | 2,090 07 | 216 12 | 72 09 | | 97 88 | 87 38 | 6 60 | 3 90 | |
| Ross | 202,272 | 2,427 34 | 1,629 64 | | 70 99 | 726 71 | 74 89 | 46 27 | | 1 91 | 26 71 |
| Sewickley | 67,357 | 808 26 | 353 06 | | 16 65 | 438 55 | 15 72 | 6 38 | | 29 | 9 05 |
| Franklin | 78,838 | 945 64 | 898 88 | 25 52 | 21 24 | | 23 07 | 21 54 | 1 12 | 41 | |
| Neville | 41,228 | 494 74 | 472 44 | 6 78 | 15 52 | | 8 21 | 7 87 | 5 | 29 | |
| Chartiers | 288,145 | 3,457 68 | 2,107 41 | | 98 82 | 1,251 45 | 28 54 | 14 90 | | 63 | 13 01 |
| Robinson | 501,091 | 6,011 97 | 5,608 10 | 238 22 | 165 65 | | 170 60 | 156 26 | 9 69 | 4 65 | |
| Scott | 334,820 | 4,017 82 | 3,733 12 | 153 96 | 130 74 | | 117 91 | 105 64 | 7 95 | 4 32 | |
| Lower St. Clair | 442,064 | 5,304 78 | 3,511 05 | | 166 43 | 1,627 30 | 45 95 | 31 04 | | 1 57 | 13 34 |
| Upper St. Clair | 246,248 | 2,955 00 | 2,833 64 | 30 10 | 91 26 | | 91 41 | 85 44 | 2 85 | 3 12 | |
| South Fayette | 429,125 | 5,148 52 | 4,873 70 | 95 92 | 178 90 | | 108 67 | 101 80 | 2 74 | 4 13 | |
| North Fayette | 299,707 | 3,595 87 | 3,367 13 | 105 82 | 122 92 | | 95 36 | 90 52 | 1 41 | 3 43 | |
| M'Candless | 158,297 | 1,841 33 | 1,739 28 | 43 35 | 58 70 | | 39 95 | 37 27 | 1 49 | 1 19 | |
| Union | 205,157 | 2,461 90 | 2,181 31 | | 73 98 | 206 61 | 76 64 | 71 91 | | 2 98 | 1 75 |
| Baldwin | 392,709 | 4,712 50 | 4,411 37 | 149 24 | 151 89 | | 104 59 | 97 68 | 4 03 | 2 88 | |
| Hampton | 144,358 | 1,732 18 | 1,656 20 | 37 29 | 38 69 | | 34 55 | 32 43 | 1 48 | 64 | |
| Shaler | 155,894 | 1,870 74 | 1,751 71 | 65 10 | 53 93 | | 53 51 | 49 90 | 1 86 | 1 75 | |
| Mifflin | 559,979 | 6,718 87 | 4,408 63 | | 213 39 | 2,096 85 | 158 02 | 99 03 | | 4 63 | 54 36 |
| Marshall | 89,077 | 1,069 82 | 1,012 52 | 31 93 | 25 37 | | 23 30 | 19 58 | 3 07 | 65 | |
| Findley | 293,586 | 3,522 68 | 3,346 73 | 48 06 | 127 89 | | 118 98 | 113 73 | 94 | 4 31 | |
| Moon | 221,029 | 2,688 21 | 2,086 74 | | 96 56 | 504 91 | 71 66 | 52 76 | | 2 45 | 16 45 |
| Snowden | 349,029 | 4,188 36 | 3,978 23 | 65 14 | 144 99 | | 87 32 | 80 34 | 4 35 | 2 63 | |
| Crescent | 45,390 | 543 63 | 477 38 | | 15 67 | 50 58 | 28 04 | 17 26 | | 56 | 10 22 |
| Patton | 211,467 | 2,537 52 | 2,426 43 | 34 11 | 76 98 | | 52 66 | 50 58 | | 53 | 1 55 |
| Richland | 121,814 | 1,461 72 | 1,400 39 | 29 34 | 31 99 | | 39 85 | 36 08 | 3 03 | 74 | |
| Pine | 137,047 | 1,643 93 | 1,558 88 | 42 29 | 45 76 | | 43 20 | 36 53 | 5 76 | 91 | |
| Jefferson | 338,916 | 4,066 98 | 2,512 79 | | 120 91 | 1,433 28 | 117 17 | 89 40 | | 3 75 | 24 02 |
| Elizabeth | 450,337 | 5,403 89 | 5,104 24 | 131 18 | 168 47 | | 89 25 | 84 69 | 1 74 | 2 82 | |
| Lincoln | 176,383 | 2,116 59 | 1,929 42 | 125 70 | 61 47 | | 69 44 | 62 23 | 5 20 | 2 01 | |
| Forward | 333,656 | 4,004 08 | 2,838 44 | | 139 91 | 1,025 73 | 104 89 | 73 75 | | 3 52 | 27 62 |
| Fawn | 78,183 | 937 96 | 892 55 | 21 07 | 24 34 | | 24 63 | 22 36 | 1 62 | 65 | |
| Harrison | 240,503 | 2,886 18 | 2,714 00 | 59 38 | 112 80 | | 46 29 | 44 63 | 05 | 1 61 | |
| Indiana | 347,764 | 4,171 45 | 3,913 42 | 153 82 | 104 21 | | 103 34 | 95 30 | 5 28 | 2 76 | |
| East Deer | 142,603 | 1,711 57 | 1,622 94 | 49 05 | 39 58 | | 35 91 | 34 31 | 76 | 84 | |
| West Deer | 194,565 | 2,334 70 | 2,236 02 | 37 45 | 61 23 | | 46 82 | 44 08 | 1 65 | 1 09 | |
| | 41,315,971 | 495,709 84 | 391,710 01 | 7,489 67 | 16,680 62 | 79,829,54 | 7,732 11 | 6,037 59 | 211 07 | 251 40 | 1,232 14 |

### Tabular Statement of Poor, Work House and Improvement Taxes assessed for year 1870, and collected by County Treasurer, with Exonerations, Discounts allowed Tax-Payers and amounts uncollected.

| DISTRICTS. | POOR TAX. | | | | | WORK HOUSE TAX. | | | | | IMPROVEMENT TAX. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Assessed. | Collected. | Exon'ated | Discounts. | Outst'd g. | Assessed. | Collected. | Exonerated | Discounts | Outst'd'g. | Assessed. | Collected. | Exon ated. | Discounts | Outst'd'g. |
| PITTSBURGH.—1st Ward | | | | | | 4,038 04 | 3,165 92 | | 159 40 | 712 72 | 1,011 33 | 792 88 | | 39 93 | 178 52 |
| 2d " | | | | | | 3,720 32 | 2,991 00 | | 151 72 | 576 60 | 930 23 | 748 53 | | 37 94 | 143 76 |
| 3d " | | | | | | 3,886 91 | 3,209 05 | | 163 20 | 514 66 | 972 53 | 802 61 | | 40 82 | 129 10 |
| 4th " | | | | | | 3,808 97 | 3,070 54 | | 160 41 | 578 02 | 953 05 | 368 56 | | 40 15 | 544 34 |
| 5th " | | | | | | 1,217 18 | 806 53 | | 37 22 | 373 43 | 305 99 | 201 76 | | 9 30 | 94 93 |
| 6th " | | | | | | 1,612 99 | 1,117 35 | | 52 92 | 442 72 | 405 41 | 279 98 | | 13 26 | 112 17 |
| 7th " | | | | | | 1,272 71 | 874 70 | | 40 64 | 357 37 | 319 21 | 219 01 | | 10 17 | 90 03 |
| 8th " | | | | | | 1,234 37 | 815 21 | | 37 01 | 382 15 | 309 92 | 204 80 | | 9 30 | 95 82 |
| 9th " | | | | | | 2,366 42 | 2,003 47 | | 101 65 | 261 30 | 593 26 | 501 46 | | 25 44 | 66 36 |
| 10th " | | | | | | 1,523 47 | 1,385 86 | 71 15 | 66 46 | | 382 27 | 347 16 | 18 48 | 16 63 | |
| 11th " | | | | | | 1,352 72 | 959 64 | | 44 68 | 348 40 | 342 32 | 241 11 | | 11 24 | 89 97 |
| 12th " | | | | | | 2,265 35 | 1,609 54 | | 79 75 | 576 06 | 570 85 | 412 80 | | 19 95 | 138 11 |
| 13th " | | | | | | 660 69 | 412 28 | | 19 46 | 228 95 | 166 22 | 103 91 | | 4 90 | 57 41 |
| 14th " | | | | | | 1,189 88 | 829 74 | | 40 20 | 319 94 | 300 04 | 207 54 | | 10 06 | 82 44 |
| 15th " | | | | | | 843 55 | 589 49 | | 27 63 | 226 43 | 212 05 | 147 60 | | 6 92 | 57 53 |
| 16th " | | | | | | 630 24 | 505 62 | 107 65 | 16 96 | | 169 28 | 128 08 | 27 89 | 4 31 | |
| 17th " | | | | | | 1,287 79 | 860 58 | | 39 41 | 387 80 | 323 33 | 215 76 | | 9 88 | 97 69 |
| 18th " | | | | | | 386 82 | 285 38 | | 13 82 | 87 62 | 97 23 | 71 66 | | 3 47 | 22 10 |
| 19th " | | | | | | 650 97 | 468 50 | | 22 34 | 160 13 | 163 81 | 118 60 | | 5 63 | 40 18 |
| 20th " | | | | | | 657 90 | 486 14 | | 22 89 | 148 87 | 161 57 | 122 02 | | 5 74 | 36 81 |
| 21st " | | | | | | 636 96 | 423 00 | | 20 65 | 193 31 | 160 59 | 106 13 | | 5 18 | 49 28 |
| 22d " | | | | | | 582 21 | 463 55 | | 23 52 | 95 14 | 145 93 | 116 27 | | 5 90 | 23 76 |
| 23d " | | | | | | 552 03 | 509 04 | 23 60 | 18 89 | | 138 66 | 127 80 | 6 13 | 4 73 | |
| ALLEGHENY.—1st Ward | | | | | | 2,445 22 | 2,275 53 | 86 51 | 83 18 | | 608 40 | 565 65 | 21 94 | 20 81 | |
| 2d " | | | | | | 2,848 30 | 2,633 47 | 124 24 | 90 59 | | 714 75 | 658 49 | 33 49 | 22 77 | |
| 3d " | | | | | | 2,479 34 | 1,566 00 | | 63 41 | 849 93 | 625 96 | 394 32 | | 15 96 | 215 68 |
| 4th " | | | | | | 3,471 76 | 2,654 73 | | 123 57 | 693 06 | 871 21 | 666 68 | | 31 04 | 173 49 |
| 5th " | | | | | | 1,572 78 | 1,082 28 | | 49 98 | 440 47 | 397 66 | 272 03 | | 12 56 | 113 07 |
| 6th " | | | | | | 1,257 60 | 1,084 03 | 139 17 | 34 40 | | 318 18 | 274 20 | 35 31 | 8 67 | |
| 7th " | | | | | | 615 53 | 378 68 | | 16 89 | 219 96 | 154 39 | 95 42 | | 4 25 | 54 72 |
| 8th " | | | | | | 508 48 | 317 11 | | 13 00 | 178 37 | 127 63 | 79 40 | | 3 25 | 44 98 |
| BOROUGHS.—Sewickley | 215 10 | 204 12 | 5 73 | 5 25 | | 285 57 | 271 36 | 7 22 | 6 99 | | 71 98 | 68 31 | 1 92 | 1 75 | |
| Bellevue | 90 57 | 72 07 | | 3 72 | 14 78 | 120 59 | 96 14 | | 4 97 | 19 48 | 30 24 | 24 03 | | 1 24 | 4 97 |
| Millvale, | 132 41 | 119 00 | 9 91 | 3 50 | | 175 62 | 157 99 | 12 97 | 4 66 | | 44 44 | 39 91 | 3 36 | 1 17 | |
| Etna | 130 03 | 121 08 | 5 57 | 3 38 | | 172 08 | 160 37 | 7 22 | 4 49 | | 43 46 | 40 46 | 1 87 | 1 13 | |
| Sharpsburg, | 314 61 | 191 69 | | 9 40 | 113 52 | 417 18 | 255 11 | | 12 51 | 149 56 | 105 25 | 64 11 | | 3 14 | 38 00 |
| Tarentum | 130 52 | 120 25 | 7 37 | 2 90 | | 172 99 | 159 56 | 9 56 | 3 87 | | 43 98 | 40 43 | 2 58 | 97 | |
| Mount Washington | 331 66 | 217 13 | | 9 70 | 104 23 | 441 24 | 290 04 | | 12 96 | 138 24 | 110 84 | 72 77 | | 3 25 | 34 82 |
| Union, | 187 49 | 170 39 | 13 19 | 3 91 | | 248 97 | 226 65 | 17 12 | 5 20 | | 62 85 | 57 04 | 4 51 | 1 30 | |
| Temperanceville, | 310 21 | 285 35 | 15 61 | 9 25 | | 411 26 | 378 86 | 20 08 | 12 32 | | 103 98 | 95 66 | 5 23 | 3 09 | |
| Monongahela, | 341 47 | 304 01 | 23 43 | 14 03 | | 453 78 | 404 38 | 30 69 | 18 71 | | 114 33 | 101 68 | 7 97 | 4 68 | |
| West Pittsburgh, | 327 61 | 284 03 | 31 84 | 11 74 | | 433 34 | 376 74 | 40 96 | 15 64 | | 111 03 | 95 41 | 11 70 | 3 92 | |
| South Pittsburgh | 654 14 | 585 37 | 47 59 | 21 18 | | 872 83 | 782 17 | 62 28 | 28 38 | | 221 76 | 197 99 | 16 65 | 7 12 | |
| Birmingham | 1,252 09 | 946 45 | | 41 92 | 263 72 | 1,660 54 | 1,260 48 | | 55 82 | 344 24 | 419 28 | 315 96 | | 14 00 | 89 32 |
| East Birmingham, | 1,354 74 | 842 04 | | 37 78 | 474 91 | 1,802 24 | 1,121 48 | | 50 32 | 630 44 | 459 20 | 282 83 | | 12 67 | 163 70 |
| Ormsby | 260 96 | 185 98 | | 9 23 | 65 75 | 346 83 | 247 81 | | 12 30 | 86 75 | 87 51 | 62 13 | | 3 08 | 22 30 |
| Braddock | 155 82 | 132 88 | 19 25 | 3 69 | | 206 54 | 176 37 | 25 25 | 4 92 | | 52 38 | 44 46 | 6 68 | 1 24 | |
| M Keesport, | 352 20 | 153 95 | | 6 79 | 191 46 | 468 74 | 205 17 | | 9 05 | 254 52 | 119 45 | 51 73 | | 2 28 | 65 44 |
| West Elizabeth | 68 28 | 27 32 | | 1 37 | 39 59 | 90 73 | 36 37 | | 1 82 | 52 54 | 22 74 | 9 11 | | 46 | 13 17 |
| Elizabeth | 170 03 | 73 50 | | 3 57 | 92 96 | 225 35 | 97 71 | | 4 74 | 122 90 | 57 12 | 24 56 | | 1 19 | 31 37 |
| TOWNSHIPS.—Wilkins | 689 67 | 642 25 | 25 70 | 21 72 | | 918 05 | 854 92 | 34 19 | 28 94 | | 231 76 | 215 43 | 9 06 | 7 27 | |
| Penn | 565 30 | 526 46 | 23 89 | 14 95 | | 752 60 | 706 15 | 26 53 | 19 92 | | 189 81 | 178 05 | 6 76 | 5 00 | |
| Plum | 502 87 | 371 03 | | 16 05 | 115 79 | 670 87 | 496 72 | | 21 50 | 152 65 | 168 61 | 124 89 | | 5 41 | 38 31 |
| North Versailles, | 384 63 | 351 53 | 20 45 | 12 65 | | 512 82 | 468 14 | 27 82 | 16 86 | | 128 43 | 117 09 | 7 12 | 4 22 | |
| South Versailles | 374 73 | 174 03 | | 7 79 | 192 91 | 501 03 | 231 62 | | 10 37 | 258 04 | 125 85 | 58 14 | | 2 60 | 65 11 |
| Reserve | 277 27 | 171 90 | | 7 91 | 97 46 | 368 94 | 228 76 | | 10 59 | 129 59 | 93 62 | 57 76 | | 2 67 | 33 19 |
| M Clure | 647 55 | 598 74 | 27 00 | 21 81 | | 860 18 | 796 01 | 35 16 | 29 01 | | 218 54 | 201 59 | 9 68 | 7 27 | |
| Ohio | 148 75 | 142 38 | 1 67 | 4 70 | | 197 91 | 189 81 | 1 84 | 6 26 | | 49 63 | 47 14 | 92 | 1 57 | |
| Leet | 167 49 | 114 25 | | 5 27 | 47 97 | 223 08 | 152 29 | | 7 02 | 63 77 | 55 99 | 38 14 | | 1 76 | 16 09 |
| Kilbuck, | 297 22 | 262 40 | 25 81 | 9 01 | | 396 06 | 348 10 | 35 95 | 12 01 | | 99 92 | 87 25 | 9 65 | 3 02 | |
| Ross | 304 39 | 204 12 | | 8 89 | 91 38 | 404 58 | 271 66 | | 11 84 | 121 08 | 101 78 | 68 07 | | 2 96 | 30 75 |
| Sewickley, | 101 07 | 44 09 | | 2 08 | 54 90 | 134 67 | 58 84 | | 2 77 | 73 06 | 33 75 | 14 75 | | 70 | 18 30 |
| Franklin, | 117 94 | 112 14 | 3 15 | 2 65 | | 157 11 | 149 36 | 4 22 | 3 53 | | 39 97 | 37 96 | 1 12 | 89 | |
| Neville | 62 09 | 59 27 | 87 | 1 95 | | 82 46 | 78 74 | 1 13 | 2 59 | | 20 79 | 19 82 | 32 | 65 | |
| Chartiers, | 432 85 | 264 23 | | 12 39 | 156 23 | 576 00 | 351 14 | | 16 47 | 208 39 | 145 18 | 88 21 | | 4 13 | 52 84 |
| Robinson, | 751 19 | 701 07 | 29 42 | 20 70 | | 1,000 62 | 933 42 | 39 62 | 27 58 | | 252 87 | 235 42 | 10 52 | 6 93 | |
| Scott | 502 94 | 468 11 | 18 49 | 16 34 | | 669 62 | 623 84 | 23 99 | 21 79 | | 168 25 | 156 60 | 6 19 | 5 46 | |
| Lower St. Clair | 667 55 | 440 30 | | 20 86 | 206 39 | 884 12 | 589 37 | | 27 96 | 266 79 | 223 92 | 147 96 | | 7 02 | 68 94 |
| Upper St Clair | 369 67 | 354 45 | 3 81 | 11 41 | | 492 42 | 472 31 | 5 00 | 15 21 | | 123 43 | 118 30 | 1 32 | 3 81 | |
| South Fayette, | 643 14 | 608 40 | 12 28 | 22 46 | | 857 61 | 811 57 | 16 26 | 29 78 | | 216 27 | 204 33 | 4 44 | 7 50 | |
| North Fayette, | 448 91 | 421 45 | 12 05 | 15 41 | | 599 20 | 562 58 | 16 11 | 20 54 | | 150 87 | 141 09 | 4 59 | 5 19 | |
| M'Candless, | 237 90 | 225 09 | 5 46 | 7 35 | | 316 95 | 299 94 | 7 22 | 9 79 | | 80 13 | 75 78 | 1 89 | 2 46 | |
| Union, | 309 41 | 273 67 | | 9 26 | 26 48 | 410 33 | 363 57 | | 12 33 | 34 43 | 102 51 | 89 40 | | 3 09 | 10 02 |
| Baldwin, | 592 18 | 553 46 | 19 71 | 19 01 | | 785 44 | 735 11 | 25 01 | 25 32 | | 198 04 | 184 93 | 6 77 | 6 34 | |
| Hampton | 216 80 | 207 24 | 4 72 | 4 84 | | 288 60 | 275 90 | 6 25 | 6 45 | | 72 30 | 69 10 | 1 59 | 1 61 | |
| Shaler | 234 79 | 219 65 | 8 39 | 6 75 | | 311 79 | 291 96 | 10 84 | 8 99 | | 78 41 | 73 32 | 2 84 | 2 25 | |
| Mifflin | 843 07 | 551 71 | | 26 70 | 264 66 | 1,120 03 | 734 86 | | 35 57 | 349 60 | 281 39 | 183 88 | | 8 90 | 88 61 |
| Marshall | 133 60 | 126 45 | 3 98 | 3 17 | | 177 82 | 168 26 | 5 34 | 4 22 | | 45 02 | 42 55 | 1 40 | 1 07 | |
| Findley | 439 63 | 417 56 | 6 13 | 15 94 | | 586 89 | 557 57 | 8 01 | 21 31 | | 148 14 | 140 57 | 2 22 | 5 35 | |
| Moon, | 336 55 | 248 54 | | 11 42 | 76 59 | 447 90 | 331 11 | | 15 22 | 101 57 | 112 55 | 82 91 | | 3 81 | 25 83 |
| Snowden, | 523 89 | 497 56 | 8 23 | 18 10 | | 698 08 | 663 27 | 10 69 | 24 12 | | 174 98 | 166 16 | 2 78 | 6 04 | |
| Crescent | 68 00 | 59 71 | | 1 96 | 6 33 | 90 63 | 79 59 | | 2 61 | 8 43 | 22 77 | 20 06 | | 65 | 2 06 |
| Patton, | 317 76 | 303 82 | 4 31 | 9 63 | | 422 77 | 404 27 | 5 67 | 12 83 | | 106 20 | 101 53 | 1 46 | 3 21 | |
| Richland, | 182 90 | 175 17 | 3 73 | 4 00 | | 243 57 | 233 36 | 4 88 | 5 33 | | 61 07 | 58 48 | 1 25 | 1 34 | |
| Pine | 205 26 | 194 25 | 5 30 | 5 71 | | 273 49 | 258 88 | 6 99 | 7 62 | | 68 96 | 65 23 | 1 81 | 1 92 | |
| Jefferson, | 508 93 | 314 21 | | 15 12 | 179 60 | 677 81 | 418 79 | | 20 15 | 238 87 | 169 95 | 104 79 | | 5 04 | 60 12 |
| Elizabeth | 675 50 | 638 07 | 16 38 | 21 05 | | 900 29 | 850 33 | 21 89 | 28 07 | | 227 30 | 214 55 | 5 70 | 7 05 | |
| Lincoln | 264 97 | 243 06 | 14 22 | 7 69 | | 352 76 | 323 61 | 18 91 | 10 24 | | 88 49 | 81 13 | 4 80 | 2 56 | |
| Forward | 500 21 | 354 70 | | 17 48 | 128 03 | 667 05 | 473 01 | | 23 32 | 170 72 | 167 79 | 118 68 | | 5 85 | 43 26 |
| Fawn | 117 12 | 111 40 | 2 67 | 3 05 | | 156 07 | 148 52 | 3 50 | 4 05 | | 39 63 | 37 66 | 94 | 1 03 | |
| Harrison | 362 10 | 340 12 | 7 87 | 14 11 | | 481 14 | 452 44 | 9 90 | 18 80 | | 121 43 | 113 82 | 2 91 | 4 70 | |
| Indiana | 520 43 | 488 27 | 19 16 | 13 00 | | 693 87 | 650 91 | 25 63 | 17 33 | | 173 57 | 162 62 | 6 60 | 4 35 | |
| East Deer | 214 55 | 203 52 | 6 08 | 4 95 | | 285 49 | 270 75 | 8 14 | 6 60 | | 71 48 | 67 73 | 2 10 | 1 65 | |
| West Deer | 292 45 | 280 04 | 4 75 | 7 66 | | 389 06 | 372 62 | 6 24 | 10 20 | | 97 60 | 93 43 | 1 61 | 2 56 | |
| | 23,334 55 | 19,096 48 | 525 17 | 707 26 | 3,005 64 | 82,620 37 | 65,274 17 | 1,238 60 | 2,778 53 | 13,329 07 | 20,778 04 | 15,986 50 | 326 07 | 696 70 | 3,768 77 |

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|---|---|
| Certificates of Loan, | $ 2,605 00 |
| Volunteer Bounty Bonds, | 129 00 |
| Premium on gold, certificates of loan, viz. H. Livingston, A. Aspinwall, and N. Voegtly, Jr. | 149 61 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer | $ 2,883 61 |

### Appropriation No. 3.

*Interest and Expenses on Rail Road Bonds.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Interest paid at Commercial Nat. Bank, Philadelphia, | $108,489 37 | |
| Interest paid at County Treasury, | 1,004 54 | |
| Judgments and costs in U S. Circuit Court, with premium on gold for judgments, viz., | | |
| M. W. Acheson, | $8,264 44 | |
| J. M. Kennedy, | 3,181 40 | |
| M. A. Woodward, | 1,798 80 | |
| Hill Burgwin, | 694 47 | |
| | | 13,939 11 |
| R. R. Bond Tax of 1862, refunded to estate of L. R. Livingston, 2d and 6th Wards, Pittsburgh, | | 317 95 |
| Camblos & Co., Agents for exchanging Bonds issued to Pa. Central R. R. Co., | | 85 35 |
| W. H. McCleary, U. S. Stamps for Bonds, | | 25 00 |
| Adams Express Co., freight on Bonds, | | 19 75 |
| Surplus Sinking Fund, premiums on A. V. R. R. Co. Mortgage Bonds, | | 1,410 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer; | | $125,291 07 |

### Appropriation No. 4.
*Commissioners' Office.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Archibald Pillow, salary to November 1st, 1870, | $ 780 00 |
| Jonathan Neely, “ “ December 31st, “ | 939 00 |
| Wm. H. M'Gee, “ “ “ “ “ | 939 00 |
| Jno. H. Scott, “ “ “ “ “ | 159 00 |
| Wm. H. M'Cleary, Clerk, salary to Dec. “ “ | 1.200 00 |
| Thos. D. Patterson, writing Tax Duplicates, per contract, | 1,637 79 |
| Chas. J. Camp, writing Militia Tax, list of taxables, and National Bank Tax, | 327 00 |
| M'Dowell and M'Kinley, writing lists of registered voters, | 177 61 |
| J. R. Baxter, writing additional assessments, | 143 00 |
| P. O. Box rent, stamps, &c | 11 60 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $6,313 40 |

### Appropriation No. 5.
*Controller's Office.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Henry Lambert, salary from October 1st, 1869, to October 1st, 1870, | $3,000 00 |
| Henry Snively, Clerk, salary from December 9th, 1869, to December 9th, 1870, | 900 00 |
| John McTiernan, Clerk, salary from December 31st, 1869, to December 31st, 1870, | 700 00 |
| Postage, Box rent, Telegrams, &c., | 9 74 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $4,609 74 |

### Appropriation No. 6.
*Treasurer's Office.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Joseph F. Denniston, salary to March 1st, 1870 | $4,000 00 |

Amount paid by Treasurer.

### Appropriation No. 7.
*Sheriff's Office.*

No Warrants countersigned on this appropriation for 1870.

### Appropriation No. 8.
*Coroner's Office.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Wm. Clawson, Coroner, inquests, jurors, witnesses, &c., | $1,794 30 |
| J. G. West, “ “ “ “ | 147 55 |
| Aldermen and Justices of the Peace, inquests, jurors, witness, &c., viz : | |
| Jas. Donaldson, 398.20; Jos. A. Butler, 96.95; J. A. Floyd; 101 60, | 596 75 |
| G. M. Irwin, 56.85; Peter Bolster, 11.35; George Neubert, 12.50; | 80 70 |
| J. H. Berry, 12.25; W. J. Ford, 14.20; Jas. Patterson, 14.75; | 41 20 |
| R. H. Kerr, 20.75; Dan. Hoffman, 17 25; Joseph Wall, 17 75; | 55 75 |
| John Gilliland, 12.00; R. C. Stephens, 15.80; J. A. Connor, 11 70; | 39 50 |
| J. J. Douglas, 15.00; J G. Comstock, 24.00; J. J. Miller, 15.65 | 54 65 |
| Oscar Pringler, 10.00; John Way, 14.40; Wm. Tate, Jr. juror, 50 cts., | 24 90 |
| Otto Wuth, chemical analysis of stomach of P. Brannen, | 275 00 |
| W. C. M'Carthy, examining cesspool, 7th avenue, | 5 00 |
| Post mortem examinations, | 1,813 56 |
| Funeral expenses, | 496 95 |
| Uniondale Cemetery, for graves, | 255 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $5,680 81 |

### Appropriation No. 9.
*Solicitor's Office.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| A. M. Brown, salary to December 1st, 1870, | $800 00 |

Amount paid by Treasurer

### Appropriation No. 10.
*Court House.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| F. Shutte, Janitor, salary to March 1st, 1870 | $ 145 00 |
| Richard Hanna, Janitor, salary for self and help to Dec. 31st, 1870, | 1,030 00 |
| Robert Neellie, Assistant Janitor, salary to December 31st, 1870, | 150 00 |
| M'Callum Bro's., carpets, matting, &c., | 635 77 |
| G. H Dauler & Sons, furniture for Court rooms and offices, | 420 00 |
| Craig Bros., plumbing, &c., $472 43; Kim & Schwartz, tinning, &c., $231 76, | 704 19 |
| W. Krebs, ice, $123 70; Jos. Meyer & Son, furniture, $139 00 | 262 70 |
| Fackiner & Irwin, desks, $101 00; J. Rebman & Co., hardware, $72.38 | 173 38 |
| Jas Armstrong, paper hanging and flagging, $118 50; Reincke, Wilson & Co., washstand, $29.00; | 147 50 |
| Roberts & Roeneck, upholstering, $61.00; Bassett & Brown, painting, $46 90 | 107 90 |
| W. D. Kettenburg, locksmithing, $85 15; Wm. Ridge, carpenterwork, $72.17 | 157 32 |
| W. J. Anderson & Co., stove, $45 00; J. R. Fricke & Co., lightning rods, $34.00, | 79 00 |
| J. & H. Phillips, spittoons, $46 75; J. D. Thompson, brushes, $43 50, | 90 25 |
| Mitchell, Stevenson & Co., stovepipe, $32.85; J B. & G. B Chalmers, carpenterwork, $25.50 | 58 35 |
| Wood, $15.00; grate and setting $9 08; clock, $10 00; wheelbarrow and repairing, $17 75; | 51 83 |
| Shovels, $4 75; sponges, $5.10; tumblers, $7.85; removing ashes, $13 90; | 31 60 |
| Towels and washing, $23 96; grate basket, $2.25; laying matting, $2 50; | 28 71 |
| Scrubbing, $18.00; cleaning clock, $2.00; repairing door, $1.82; | 21 82 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $4,295 32 |

### Appropriation No. 11.
*County Jail.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| W. A. Scandrett, Warden, salary to December 31st, 1870, | $ 999 96 |
| A. W. Smith, Assistant Warden, salary to Dec. 31, 1870, | 891 66 |
| W. A. Scandrett, expenses recapturing Franklin, allowed by Board of Inspectors | 100 00 |
| W. A. Scandrett, extra boarding for prisoners, | 127 50 |
| Jane Raynor, bread, per contract to Dec 15th, 1870, | 2,496 67 |
| Chas. B. Welte, meat for Workhouse and Jail | 2 502 50 |
| Dr. W. H. M'Kelvy, Physician, salary to Nov 1, 1870, | 600 00 |
| Western Penn'a. R. R. Co tickets for prisoners and officers and freight on supplies, | 386 15 |
| Peter Dressler, special officer detailed to convey prisoners to Workhouse | 274 00 |
| Western Penitentiary, ticking, $267.08; H. Frees, vegetables, $270.92, | 538 00 |
| A. Wilson & Co., soap and candles, $253 24; M. Seibert & Co., bedsteads, $125 00 | 378 24 |
| Bailiff & Brown, hose, $84.00; W. S. Haven, sta $86.05, | 170 05 |
| Arbuthnot, Shannon & Co., blankets, $87 50; G. Albree, Son & Co., shoes, $60.00, | 147 50 |
| M'Bane & Anger, flour for Workhouse, $63.50; J. Rebman & Co., hardware, $36.00, | 99 50 |
| Craig Bros., plumbing and cleaning sewer, $75.55; Kim & Schwartz, soup pans, $33.20, | 108 75 |
| J. K. Smith & Co., salt, &c., $39.85; W. D. Kettenburg, locksmithing, $74 30 | 114 15 |
| W. J. Anderson & Co, grate bars and kettle, $55 60; J. D. Thompson & Co., brushes, $16 25 | 71 85 |
| Carroll & Snyder, repairing boiler, $55 09; L. Susman, clothing, $28 25, | 83 34 |
| G. Freeborn, desk and stools, $33.00; Jno. Scott, setting grates, $28 00 | 61 00 |
| Swain & Dixon, setting grate and kettle, $ 6.50; H. Langkamp & Son, baskets, $7 50, | 24 00 |
| J. Sample, watchman, $62 00; wheeling coal and ashes, $38.50, | 100 50 |
| Straw, $53 68; sawdust, $27 50; shovels, $2.50; valve cock, $1 75, | 85 43 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $10,360 75 |

### Appropriation No. 12.
*Court House and Jail.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Pittsburgh Gas Co., lighting to December 1st, 1870, | $4,619 07 |
| City of Pittsburgh, water rent, | 980 00 |
| Steen Bros., coal, per contract, $1,057 65; C. H. Armstrong, coal, $131.07, | 1,188 72 |
| Wm. H. Glenn, engineer, salary to December, 31st, 1870, | 999 96 |
| James Pillow, watchman, $720.00; John Semple, watchman, $658 00, | 1,378 00 |
| O. M'Clintock & Co., carpets, $128 88; J. Rebman & Co., hardware, $92.20, | 521 08 |
| Carried amount, | $9,686 83 |
| Brought forward, | $9,686 83 |
| J. Smith, grates, mantles, &c., $97.50; McLaughlin & Steel, brickwork, $80 17, | 177 67 |
| J. & H. Phillips, spittoons, $120.00; F. Mayer, covering desks, &c. $28 00, | 148 00 |
| Insurance, $250 00; putting in coal, $209.67; removing ashes, $78.00, | 537 67 |
| Brooms, $59 00; stoves, $21 96; water cooler & filter, $16.00, | 96 96 |
| Plank, $6.50; step-ladder, $7.00; cleaning basement, $4.00, | 17 50 |

On contracts for new improvements, viz :

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cochran & Bro., | account of | ironwork, | $ 9 965 13 | |
| F. Altvater & Co., | “ “ | stonework, | 9 238 50 | |
| Robt. McCain, | “ “ | carpenterwork, | 12 646 33 | |
| S. Hastings, | “ “ | carpenterwork, | 2.500 00 | |
| Craig Bros., | “ “ | plumbing, | 7 501 74 | |
| Wm. Buente, | “ “ | flagging, | 1,065 62 | |
| Wible, Walker & Co., | “ “ | brickwork, | 2 686 71 | |
| Tate, Munden & Tate, | “ “ | steam fitting, | 2 315 19 | |
| D. W. Lloyd, | “ “ | plastering, | 3 415 44 | |
| Union Iron Mills, | “ “ | beams, | 1,424 60 | |
| Wm. Barnes, | “ “ | tin'g & galv iron, | 1,439 15 | |
| P. Bradley | “ “ | excavation, | 1,030 05 | |
| James McVey, | “ “ | br'kele'g & labor, | 1,046 00 | |
| Carroll & Snyder, | “ “ | boilers, | 1.200 00 | |
| John F. Cluley, | “ “ | painting, | 960 00 | |
| Burke & Barnes, | “ “ | vault doors, | 450 00 | |
| Mackey & Watson, | “ “ | roofing, | 336 33 | |
| Lemond & Jones, | “ “ | air flues | 301 21 | |
| Thos. Rourke, | “ “ | rubblestone, | 198 00 | |
| Harrison & Bro., | “ “ | flagging, | 164 50 | |
| Totten & Co., | “ “ | iron columns, | 349 68 | |
| James Armstrong, | “ “ | pap'g & white'g, | 200 00 | |
| J. Stulen, | “ “ | frescoing, | 300 00 | |
| I. Broome, | “ “ | “ & col. walls, | 233 00 | |
| Thompson & Smith, | “ “ | side'ks & paving, | 246 55 | |
| H. Adler, | “ “ | iron for sky'ghts, | 92 25 | |
| Barr & Moser, supervising Architects, on account, | | | 2.000 00 | |
| | | | | 63,305 98 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | | | | $73,960 61 |

### Appropriation No. 13.
*Court of Quarter Sessions.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Grand Jurors, per pay rolls, | $ 4.756 39 |
| Petit “ “ “ “ | 14 630 01 |
| Witness fees per taxation of Clerk of Courts, | 3.173 17 |
| Tipstaves and Crier, per pay rolls, | 3 653 00 |
| Mayors, Aldermen and Justices of the Peace, | 2 231 96 |
| Constables' costs, monthly and quarterly returns, | 2,129 51 |
| Interpreter's fees, | 330 00 |
| Boarding Jurors and Tipstaves in homicide cases, | 642 00 |
| Carriage hire and toll for Grand Jury to County Home | 72 35 |
| Jno. G. Brown, Clerk, to December 1st, 1869, | 532 40 |
| Joseph Browne, Clerk, to December 1st, 1870, | 1,376 00 |
| S. B. Cluley, Sheriff's costs to January 1st, 1870 | 122 45 |
| H. S. Fleming, Sheriff's costs, drawing jurors, commissions, &c, | 1.443 57 |
| A. L. Pearson, District Attorney, to December 1st, 1870, | 1,177 92 |
| J. B. Flack, Assist. District Attorney, “ “ | 586 74 |
| John Irwin, special detective for District Attorney, to December 23d, 1870, | 599 96 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $37,457 43 |

### Appropriation No. 14.
*Court of Common Pleas.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Jurors, per pay rolls, | $17,010 16 |
| Tipstaves, per pay rolls, | 2,830 50 |
| S. B. Cluley, Sheriff, drawing jurors, | 120 00 |
| H. S. Fleming, “ “ “ | 650 00 |
| Interpreter's fees, | 180 50 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $20,791 16 |

### Appropriation No. 15.
*District Court.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Jurors, per pay rolls, | $14 694 75 | |
| Tipstaves, per pay rolls, | 2 336 50 | |
| S. B. Cluley, Sheriff, drawing Jurors, | 160 00 | |
| H. S. Fleming, “ “ “ | 548 00 | |
| J. H. Walker, transcribing Judgment Docket, | 158 40 | |
| Interpreter's fees, | 22 50 | |
| | | $17,920 15 |
| Amount outstanding, | | 5 25 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | | $17,914 90 |

### Appropriation No. 16.
*Supreme Court.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| T. J. Keenan, Prothonotary, costs in Allegheny County vs. Evans, | $ 20 00 |
| T. J. Keenan, Prothonotary, expenses at Pittsb'gh, 1870, | 591 50 |
| Tipstaves and Messengers, per certificate of Prot. Keenan, | 290 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $ 901 50 |

### Appropriation No. 17.
*Assessment of Taxes.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Assessors and Assistant Assessors, assessing, registering and enrolling militia, | $10,112 77 |
| Amount outstanding | 30 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $10,082 77 |

### Appropriation No. 18.
*Election Expenses.*

Warrants countersigned for—

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|---|---|
| Election officers, house rents, assessors, constables and ballot boxes, | $ 2,789 92 |

Amount paid by Treasurer

### Appropriation No. 19.
*Printing, Stationery and Advertising.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| W. S. Haven, books and stationery for sundry departments, | $ 1.339 80 |
| Myers, Schoyer & Co., blank and tax books, | 483 00 |
| Bakewell & Martheas, printing, &c., and publishing Controller's Report, | 475 05 |
| Kay & Co., dockets for Recorder's Office, | 414 00 |
| W. G. Johnston & Co., books, stationery &c., | 263 00 |
| Jackson, Moore & Co., printing blanks and trial lists, | 193 53 |
| Telford, Moore & Co. “ “ “ “ | 64 00 |
| J. R. Weldin & Co., books, &c., | 85 65 |
| Webster & Morton, steel pens, | 42 05 |
| Benj. Singerly, Acts of Assembly, | 6 25 |
| Thurston's Directory, | 6 00 |
| Pittsburgh Dispatch, advertising, | 1.348 40 |
| “ Gazette, “ | 1,587 25 |
| “ Freiheit's Freund, “ | 1,046 38 |
| “ Post, “ | 311 60 |
| “ Commercial, “ | 80 60 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $ 7,746 56 |

### Appropriation No. 20.
*Bridges.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| S. J. Rankin, | building over | Chartiers Creek, | $1,668 50 |
| “ “ | “ “ | Plum Creek, | 572 45 |
| Isaac Walker, | “ “ | Robinson's Run, | 1,463 00 |
| Dickson & Miller, | “ stone arch | Davis' Run, | 1.415 00 |
| Forrester & Alston, | “ stonework | Chartiers Creek, | 1,195 05 |
| Jno. & Wm. Dixon, | “ over | Plum Creek, | 710 28 |
| T. M. Edmundson, | “ “ | Bull Creek, | 702 50 |
| S. H Stewart, | “ “ | Little Deer Creek, | 598 44 |
| R. Forrester & Co., | “ stonework | M'Laughlin's Run, | 573 56 |
| J H. Stewart, | “ over | Plum Creek, | 333 64 |
| Wm. Beam, | “ “ | Street's Run, | 265 50 |
| Thomas Collins, | “ “ | Miller's Run, | 225 00 |
| H. Large & Wm. Beam, | “ “ | Watson's Run, | 218 00 |
| James Dawson, | “ “ in | West Deer Tp., | 194 00 |
| Joseph Woodrow, | “ “ | Bull Creek, | 184 50 |
| M. Pherson & Hamilton, | “ “ | M'Laughlin's Run, | 165 72 |
| Jacob Dewalt, | “ “ | Saw Mill Run, | 99 99 |
| D. M'Cain, | “ “ | Turtle Creek, | 91 20 |
| John Clowes, | repairing at | Deer Creek, | 95 00 |
| R. B. Burgan, | planks “ | Mansfield, | 94 40 |
| Thos. Pauley, | repairing “ | Courtney's Run, | 92 27 |
| R. Martin & Co., | lumber “ | M'Laughlin's Run, | 89 78 |
| James Patterson, | repairing “ | Deer Creek, | 80 00 |
| R. W. Gillfeord, | “ “ | Bull Creek, | 75 00 |
| Joseph Woodrow, | “ “ | “ “ | 65 00 |
| J. M. Ross, | “ “ | Plum Creek, | 60 88 |
| Carried forward, | | | $11,328 76 |
| Brought forward, | | | $11,328 76 |
| H. Jumphreys, | “ “ | Chartiers Creek, | 60 00 |
| Dickson & Miller, | “ “ | Davis Run, | 40 50 |
| S. M. Brinton, | “ “ | Turtle Creek, | 30 00 |
| Wm. Tutenburg, | “ “ | Tom's Run, | 24 20 |
| Robt. Sesnett, | “ “ | Chartiers Creek, | 24 00 |
| W. G. Bingham | “ “ | Mansfield | 18 70 |
| Forrester & Alston, | “ “ | Chartiers Creek., | 16 00 |
| John Turner, | “ “ | Robinson's Run, | 13 00 |
| Wm. Knoederer, | “ “ | Kilbuck & Park's Run, | 10 24 |
| Thomas Collins, | “ “ | Miller's Run, | 10 00 |
| Saml. Wilson, | “ “ | M'Laughlin's Run, | 10 00 |
| Jas. Dawson, | “ “ | West Deer Tp., | 6 00 |
| Measuring, $25.00; lumber, $8.70; specifications, $5.00, | | | 38 70 |
| Sundry viewers appointed by Court of Qr. Sessions | | | 39 50 |
| County Commissioners, viewing, viz.: A. Pillow, $38.00; Jonath Neely, $80.00; W. H. M'Gee, $30.50; J. A. Scott, $4.30, | | | 152 80 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | | | $11,822 30 |

### Appropriation No. 21.
*Roads.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| James Bell, damages, | Union and Chartiers | townships, | $300 00 |
| Peter Farmer, “ | North Fayette | “ | 77 50 |
| Alfred Kerr, “ | Robinson | “ | 75 00 |
| Morrow Wilson, “ | Penn. | “ | 75 00 |
| Sarah McGonnigle, damages, | Moon | “ | 45 00 |
| Joseph Rhodes, “ | Franklin | “ | 20 00 |
| Conrad Baker, “ | Robinson | “ | 15 00 |
| Margaret Gray, “ | “ | “ | 15 00 |
| P. C Devlin, laying out State road, Allegheny and Washington counties, | | | 23 00 |
| W. H. Campbell, for viewers of State road, per Act of Assembly, | | | 65 00 |
| Viewing in sundry districts by order of Court of Quarter Sessions, | | | 579 50 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | | | $1,290 00 |

### Appropriation No. 22.
*New Townships.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| J. D. Stilley, dividing Baldwin Tp., Union Tp., and Union Borough, | $65 00 |
| J. H. Robb, dividing Union Tp., and Union Borough, | 10 00 |
| Joseph Miller, “ Baldwin Tp., | 10 00 |
| Moses Chess, “ Ohio Tp., | 10 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $95 00 |

### Appropriation No. 23.
*Mayors of Pittsburgh and Allegheny.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| J. M. Brush, salary to November 1st, 1870, | $1,000 00 |
| Simon Drum, “ to February 1st, “ | 125 00 |
| A. P. Callow, “ to November 1st, “ | 375 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $1,500 00 |

### Appropriation No. 24.
*Aldermen and Justices of the Peace.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Discharged larceny cases, | $1.571 07 |
| A. Ammon, Justice of the Peace, salary to Nov. 1st, 1870, | 200 00 |
| W. H. Barker, “ “ “ “ “ “ | 200 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $1,971 07 |

### Appropriation No. 25.
*Constables.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Vagrant commitments, per Mayor Brush and deputies, | $2,714 00 |
| “ “ “ Mayor Drum, | 57 77 |
| “ “ “ Mayor Callow, | 162 08 |
| “ “ “ W. H. Barker, Justice of the Peace, | 34 10 |
| Vagrant commitments per A. Ammon, Justice of the Peace, | 6 00 |
| Vagrant commitments per James Saulsbury, “ “ | 16 10 |
| Vagrant commitments per E. G. Krehan, “ “ | 4 05 |
| Vagrant commitments per J. A. Snyder, “ “ | 2 30 |
| Vagrant commitments per J. M. Bell, Justice of the Peace, | 1 75 |
| Samuel Long, reward, arresting horse thief, | 20 00 |
| Robert Young, “ “ “ “ | 20 00 |
| D. S. M'Knight, “ “ “ “ | 20 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $3,058 15 |

### Appropriation No. 26.
*House of Refuge.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Maintenance of inmates to December 1st, 1870, | $20,408 88 |
| Commitments by sundry Magistrates, | 147 40 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $20,556 28 |

### Appropriation No. 27.
*Western Pennsylvania Hospital.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Maintenance of patients to October 1st, 1870, | $8,042 61 |

Amount paid by Treasurer.

### Appropriation No. 28.
*Premium on Fox Scalps.*

Warrants countersigned for scalps of foxes killed, viz.:

| | |
|---|---|
| Robinson Tp., $2 25; Sewickley Tp., 75; Findley Tp., $1.50 | $4 50 |
| Marshall Tp., $2.50; Indiana Tp., $11.50; Richland Township, $2.00, | 16 00 |
| West Deer Tp., 75; Fawn Tp., $1,50; South Fayette Tp., 75, | 3 00 |
| Versailles Tp., $1.50; Patton Tp., $2 50; Hampton Tp., 75; North Fayette Tp., 75, | 5 50 |
| | $29 00 |

### Appropriation No. 29.
*Unseated Land Tax.*

No Warrants drawn on this Appropriation in 1870.

### Appropriation No. 30.
*Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Joseph F. Denniston, County Treasurer, on account of State Tax deficiency for 1869, | $10,155 42 |

Amount paid by Treasurer.

### Appropriation No. 31.
*Contingent Fund.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| County Scrip, 1844, redeemed, J S. Kingsland, G. W. Evans and National Bank of Commerce, | $ 7 00 |
| Allegheny County Teachers' Institute, annual allowance per Act of Assembly, | 200 00 |
| City of Pittsburgh Teachers' Institute, annual allowance per Act of Assembly, | 200 00 |
| Fire Marshal's salary, per Act of Assembly, | 10 00 |
| Chas. Pugh, Jury Commissioner, per probated bills, | 279 48 |
| William Griffin, “ “ “ | 252 50 |
| Costs paid Prothonotary, per order of Court of Common Pleas, No. 472, September Term, 1867, | 15 50 |
| Certified copy of Act of Assembly, | 2 00 |
| | $ 966 48 |

### Appropriation No. 32.
*Sinking Fund.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| County Treasurer, annual amount, per Act of Assembly, | $25,000 00 |

Amount paid by Treasurer.

### Appropriation No. 33.
*State Auditor.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| B. F. Kennedy, in full for services, 1869, | $ 156 00 |

Amount paid by Treasurer.

### Appropriation No. 34.
*Prothonotary's Office.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Jacob H. Walter, costs, venires for Court of Common Pleas and District Court, &c., &c., | $ 242 05 |

Amount paid by Treasurer.

### Appropriation No. 35.
*Work House and Inebriate Asylum.*

Warrants countersigned for—

| | |
|---|---|
| Dollar Savings Bank, 7 per cent. bonds, Nos. 48 to 72 redeemed, | $25,000 00 |
| Interest on 7 per cent. bonds to Oct. 1st, 1870, | 8,190 00 |
| George Albree, Treasurer, on account of proceeds of one mill Tax, | 27,085 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $60,275 00 |

### Appropriation No. 36.
*Outstanding Warrants previous to May, 1861.*

No Warrants drawn on this appropriation in 1870.

### Appropriation No. 37.

*Western Penitentiary.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants countersigned for— | |
| Maintenance of inmates in 1869, | $ 7,206 57 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer. | |

### Appropriation No. 38.

*Law Library.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants countersigned for— | |
| A. S. Lucas, librarian, per order of committee, | $ 180 00 |
| Mary Smith, janitress, " " | 48 50 |
| V. G. Elliott, carpenter work, per order of committee... | 25 00 |
| Robert Neillie, moving furniture, &c., &c., | 27 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $ 280 50 |

### Appropriation No. 39.

*Gas Inspection.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Warrants countersigned for— | |
| R. H. Smith, Gas Inspector, salary, per Act of Assembly, | $ 2.500 00 |
| " " expenses as assessed on Gas Companies, | 3,525 00 |
| Amount paid by Treasurer, | $ 6,025 00 |

**Tabular Statement showing amount of Countersigned Warrants issued for each Department from January 1st, 1870, to January 1st, 1871, amount paid by Treasurer thereon, and amount outstanding.**

| Appropriations. | DEPARTMENTS. | Amount Issued | Amount Paid. | Amount outstanding. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| No. 1 | Funded debt, | 22,062 50 | 22 062 50 | |
| 2 | Interest, | 2,883 61 | 2,883 61 | |
| 3 | Interest, arrears of Interest, and Expenses on R. R. Bonds with surplus Sinking Fund, | 125,291 07 | 125,291 07 | |
| 4 | Commissioners' Office, | 6,313 40 | 6,313 40 | |
| 5 | Controller's " | 4,609 74 | 4,609 74 | |
| 6 | Treasurer's " | 4,000 00 | 4,000 00 | |
| 7 | Sheriff's " | | | |
| 8 | Coroner's " | 5,680 81 | 5,680 81 | |
| 9 | Solicitor's " | 800 00 | 800 00 | |
| 10 | Court House, | 4,295 32 | 4,295 32 | |
| 11 | County Jail, | 10,360 75 | 10,360 75 | |
| 12 | Court House and Jail, | 73 970 61 | 73,970 61 | |
| 13 | Court of Quarter Sessions, | 37,457 43 | 37,457 43 | |
| 14 | Court of Common Pleas, | 20,791 16 | 20,791 16 | |
| 15 | District Court, | 17,920 15 | 17,914 90 | 5 25 |
| 16 | Supreme Court, | 901 50 | 901 50 | |
| 17 | Assessment of Taxes, | 10,112 77 | 10.082 77 | 30 00 |
| 18 | Election Expenses, | 2,789 92 | 2,789 92 | |
| 19 | Printing, Stationery, &c. | 7,746 56 | 7,746 56 | |
| 20 | Bridges, | 11,822 30 | 11 822 30 | |
| 21 | Roads, | 1 290 00 | 1,290 00 | |
| 22 | New Townships, | 95 00 | 95 00 | |
| 23 | Mayors of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, | 1,500 00 | 1,500 00 | |
| 24 | Aldermen and Justices of the Peace, | 1,971 07 | 1,971 07 | |
| 25 | Constables, | 3,058 15 | 3,058 15 | |
| 26 | House of Refuge | 20 556 8 | 20,556 28 | |
| 27 | Western Pennsylvania Hospital, | 8,042 61 | 8,042 6 | |
| 28 | Premium on Fox Scalps, | 29 00 | 29 00 | |
| 29 | Unseated Land Tax, | | | |
| 30 | Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, | 10,155 42 | 10,155 42 | |
| 31 | Contingent Fund, | 966 48 | 966 48 | |
| 32 | Sinking Fund, | 25,000 00 | 25,0 0 00 | |
| 33 | State Auditor, | 156 00 | 156 00 | |
| 34 | Prothonotary's Office, | 242 05 | 242 05 | |
| 35 | Work House and Inebriate Asylum, | 60,275 00 | 60,275 00 | |
| 36 | Outstanding Warrants previous to May 20th, 1861, | | | |
| 37 | Western Penitentiary, | 7,206 57 | 7,206 57 | |
| 38 | Law Library, | 280 50 | 2-0 50 | |
| 39 | Gas Inspection, | 6,025 00 | 6,025 00 | |
| | | 516,658 73 | 516,623 -8 | 35 25 |

## SUMMARY.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Amount issued for | | Funded Debt paid off, including $25.000 Work House Bonds, | $47,062 50 |
| " | " | Judgments, interest and exp nses on R.R. Bonds, | 123,881 07 |
| " | " | Surplus Sinking Fund, | 1,410 00 |
| " | " | Interest on Volunteer Bounty and Work House Bonds, | 8.468 61 |
| " | " | Annual Sinking Fund, | 25,000 00 |
| " | " | Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, | 10,155 42 |
| " | " | Improvement Expenditures, Court House and Jail, | 63.305 98 |
| " | " | Gas Inspection | 6,025 00 |
| " | " | Work House Expenditures, on acc't 1 mill tax, | 27,085 00 |
| " | " | Ordinary County Expenses, | 204,265 15 |
| | | | 516,658 73 |

**The total ordinary expenses of the County for 1870 exceed those of 1869 by $8,881 83. The following table shows the material variation of expenditure.**

| DEPARTMENTS. | 1869. | 1870. | Increase. | Decrease. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Coroner's Office, | 4.694 60 | 5,680 81 | 986 21 | |
| Court House, | 3,695 63 | 4,295 32 | 1,599 69 | |
| County Jail, | 11,094 96 | 10,360 75 | | 734 21 |
| Court House and Jail, exclusive of improvements, | 7,914 39 | 10,664 63 | 2,750 24 | |
| Court of Quarter Sessions, | 35,752 22 | 37,457 43 | 1,705 21 | |
| Court of Common Pleas, | 17,768 86 | 20,791 16 | 3,022 30 | |
| District Court, | 19,079 27 | 17 920 15 | | 1,159 12 |
| Election Expenses, | 3,645 86 | 2,789 82 | | 856 04 |
| Printing, Stationery and Advertising, | 6,267 46 | 7,646 56 | 1,479 10 | |
| Bridges, | 6,245 68 | 11.822 30 | 5,576 44 | |
| Roads, | 3,591 87 | 1,290 00 | | 2,201 87 |
| House of Refuge, | 21,560 19 | 20,556 28 | | 1,003 91 |
| Contingent Fund, | 1,547 55 | 966 48 | | 581 07 |
| Law Library, | 1,659 85 | 280 50 | | 1,379 35 |

The cost of new improvements in 1869 was $58,190 96, in 1870, $63,305.98 The outstanding balances due for contracts will reach $33,000, making the total cost $155,000, provided no further outlay is authorized. Although an additional issue, under Act of Assembly, of $75,000, seven per cent. Work House Bonds, was made in 1870, the aggregate funded debt has been reduced for the year $44 172 94; and the net deficit "County liability" on January 1st, 1871, is $73,117 31 less than on January 1st, 1870. The decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, settling the liability of the County to pay in gold or its equivalent obligations issued prior to the passage of the Legal Tender Act, has virtually ended the compromise of old bonds issued to Rail Road Co's A condensed statement of the management of that portion of the funded debt is herewith presented. In January, 1862, when a basis of settlement was agreed on with the bondholders, the liability stood as follows:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 750 | Bonds issued | to A. Valley R. R. Co. | May 2d, 1853, @ | 30 years | 750,000 00 |
| 750 | " " | to P. & Connellsville | " July 1st. | " " " | 750,000 00 |
| 300 | " " | to P. & Steubenville | " July 15th, " | " 32 years | 300,000 00 |
| 200 | " " | to " | " July 15th, 1854 " | " | 200.000 00 |
| 150 | " " | to Cleveland & P. | " Sept. 15th, 1853 " | 31 years | 150,000 00 |
| 150 | " " | to Chartiers Valley | " April 1st, 1854 " | 25 years | 150,000 00 |

| | |
|---|---|
| Total principal @ 6 per cent | 2,300,000 00 |
| Accrued interest to January 1st, 1863, exceeded, | 800,000 00 |
| Total principal and interest, | 3 100,000 00 |

These figures are now represented by

| | |
|---|---|
| 1,778 Coupon Bonds @ 50 years from Jan. 1st, 1863, @ 5 per ct. | 1.778 000 00 |
| 215 " " " 20 " " " " " " | 215,000 00 |
| Registered Bonds " 50 " " " " " " | 118,680 14 |
| " " " 20 " " " " " " | 17,747 00 |
| Registered Scrip, | 104 88 |
| Total @ 5 per cent. | 2,129 532 02 |
| 144 Coupon Bonds, old issue, not compromised, | 144,000 00 |

For this large debt the County has nothing to show beyond the incidental advantages and enhanced value of property, derived from the construction of these rail roads. The capital stock in the several companies, for which the bonds were originally issued, was sold in February, 1861, by the U. S. Marshal, on executions, for interest and costs. Had common prudence been exercised, and the stock secured for the ultimate benefit of the County, her Rail Road debt would be but a slight incumbrance. The following from the records of the U. S. Circuit Court will show how this stock was sacrificed:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 4,027 | Shares A. V. R. R. Stock sold @ | 40 | $ 1,610 80 |
| 1,000 | " " " " " " | 45 | 450 00 |
| 1,000 | " " " " " " | 35 | 350 00 |
| 100 | " " " " " " | 55 | 55 00 |
| 100 | " " " " " " | 50 | 50 00 |
| 1,000 | " " " " " " | 1.10 | 1,100 00 |
| 600 | " " " " " " | 1.15 | 690 00 |
| 7,173 | " " " " " " | 1.00 | 7,173 00 |
| 15 000 | Shares. | | $11,478 80 |

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 15,000 | Shares P. & Connellsville R. R. Stocks, sold @ | 50 | | $ 7,500 00 |
| 3,000 | " Cleveland & P " " " " | 1.15 | | 3,450 00 |
| 3,000 | " Chartiers Valley " " " " | 16 | | 480 00 |
| 5,000 | " P. & Steubenville " " " " | 6 | $300 00 | |
| 4,600 | " " " " " " " | 5 | 230 00 | |
| 400 | " " " " " " " | 16 | 640 00 | |
| | | | | $1,170 00 |
| 10,000 | Shares. | | | |

The whole producing $24,078.80, not sufficient to pay the judgments and costs under which they were sold.

JOSEPH F. DENNISTON, *County Treasurer,*

*In account with Taxes, 1869.*

Dr. *County Tax.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To amount assessed as per Duplicates, | | $410,759 59 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st 1870, | $358,940 24 | |
| " amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st. 1871, | 13,536 76 | |
| " Discounts allowed Tax-payers, | 13,998 73 | |
| " Exonerations allowed by County Commissioners, | 24,283 86 | |
| | | 410,759 59 |

Dr. *State Tax.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To amount assessed as per Duplicates, | | 7,776 63 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870. | $6,725 90 | |
| " amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1871, | 174 73 | |
| " Discounts allowed Tax-payers, | 267 07 | |
| " Exonerations allowed by County Commissioners, | 608 93 | |
| | | 7,776 63 |

Dr. *Poor Tax.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To amount assessed as per Duplicates, | | 23,179 13 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amount accounted for per Contoller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $20,356 70 | |
| " amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1871, | 785 75 | |
| " Discounts allowed Tax-payers, | 707 39 | |
| " Exonerations allowed by County Commissioners, | 1,329 29 | |
| | | 23,179 13 |

Dr. *Work House Tax.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To amount assessed as per Duplicates, | | 41,190 12 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $36,366 51 | |
| " amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1871, | 1,358 21 | |
| " Discounts allowed Tax-payers, | 1,401 72 | |
| " Exonerations allowed by County Commissioners, | 2,063 68 | |
| | | 41,190 12 |

Dr. *Improvement Tax.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To amount assessed as per Duplicates, | | 61,816 63 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $54,062 78 | |
| " amount accounted for per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1871, | 2,026 68 | |
| " Discounts allowed Tax-payers, | 2,101 01 | |
| " Exonerations allowed by County Commissioners, | 3,626 16 | |
| | | 61,816 63 |

JOSEPH F. DENNISTON, *County Treasurer,*

*In account with Allegheny County.*

Dr. *County Funds.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Balance due per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870 | | $185,399 66 |
| " County Tax, 1861, from Lien Docket, | $ 2 70 | |
| " " " 1864, " " " | 16 92 | |
| " " " 1865, " " " | 24 34 | |
| " " " 1866, " " " | 27 71 | |
| " " " 1867, " " " | 10 68 | |
| " " " 1868, " " " | 44 07 | |
| " " " 1869, " " " | 189 11 | |
| " " " " " Duplicates | 13,536 76 | |
| " " " 1870, " " | 391,710 01 | |
| | | 405,562 30 |
| " Work House Tax, 1866, from Lien Docket, | $ 90 | |
| " " " " 1867, " " " | 54 | |
| " " " " 1868, " " " | 4 02 | |
| " " " " 1869, " " " | 19 02 | |
| " " " " " " Duplicates, | 1,358 21 | |
| " " " " 1870, " " | 65,273 20 | |
| | | 66,655 89 |
| | | $657,617 85 |
| To Improvement Tax, 1869, from Lien Docket, | $ 28 71 | |
| " " " " " Duplicates, | 2,026 68 | |
| " " " 1870, " " | 16,376 50 | |
| | | 18,431 89 |
| " Miscellaneous sources as per detailed statement of revenue, viz., | | |
| Interest account, | $1,850 82 | |
| County Gauger, | 201 15 | |
| Western Pennsylvania Hospital, | 3,124 30 | |
| Redemption of land sold for taxes, | 17 21 | |
| Interest and expenses on R. R. Bonds, | 1,410 00 | |
| Court of Quarter Sessions, | 4,089 85 | |
| Court of Common Pleas, | 480 00 | |
| District Court, | 336 00 | |
| Fines and Forfeitures, | 155 68 | |
| Gas Inspection, | 6,025 00 | |
| Prothonotary's Office, | 100 69 | |
| Coroner's Office, | 13 00 | |
| Court House and Jail, | 55 50 | |
| County Jail, | 4 33 | |
| | | 17,863 53 |
| | | 693,913 27 |
| Cr. | | |
| By Countersigned Warrants of 1862, paid in 1870 | 3 25 | |
| " " " " 1864, " " | 3 00 | |
| " " " " 1869, " " | 29 37 | |
| " " " " 1870, " " | 516,623 48 | |
| | | 516,659 10 |
| Balance due by County Treasurer | | $177,254 17 |

This balance is subject to a deduction for payment made to Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in August, 1870, $80,394.65, arrears of State Assessment for 1869, 1870; for which warrant is not given to the Treasurer until final settlement of his account, in March, 1871, when the net amount of State Tax collected for 1870 is ascertained and deducted.

*Rail Road Bond Account.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Amount outstanding per Controller's Report, to January 1st, 1870, | | $2,203,054 96 |
| " New 5 per cent. Bonds issued in 1870, on account of Registered Bonds, cancelled at 20 and 50 years from January 1st, 1863— Coupon | | 4,000 00 |
| " New 5 per cent. Bonds issued in 1870, on account of A. V. R. R. Co., at 50 years from January 1st, 1863— | | |
| Coupon | $ 4,000 00 | |
| Registered | 389 80 | |
| | | 4,389 80 |
| " New 5 per cent. Bonds issued in 1870, on account of Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R. Co., at 50 years from January 1st, 1863— Coupon | | 2,000 00 |
| " Registered Scrip for fractional settlements, | | 120 46 |
| | | $2,213,565 22 |
| Deduct amount of Coupon Bonds purchased by Sinking Fund in 1870, | $51,000 00 | |
| Deduct amount of Registered Bonds purchased by Sinking Fund in 1870, | 1,852 99 | |
| Deduct amount of Registered Scrip purchased by Sinking Fund in 1870, | 130 46 | |
| Deduct amount of Registered Bonds merged in Coupon Bonds in 1870, | 4,047 15 | |
| Deduct amount of Registered Scrip merged in Coupon Bonds in 1870 | 2 60 | |
| Deduct amount of Coupon Bonds received in exchange for 7 3-10 Mortgage Bonds of Allegheny Valley R. R. Company, | 27,000 00 | |
| | | 84,033 20 |
| Total outstanding, interest at 5 per cent | | $2,129,532 02 |
| Amount of original 6 per cent. Bonds issued to Rail Road Companies outstanding, per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | | $149,000 00 |
| Settled and compromised in 1870, | | 5,000 00 |
| Total outstanding, | | $144,000 00 |

*Sinking Fund.*

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|---|---|---|
| To Balance per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870 | | $15,093 06 |
| " Annual Appropriation, August 31st, 1870, per Act of Assembly, | | 25,000 00 |
| " Twenty-seven A. V. R. R. Co's 7 3-10ths Mortgage Bonds, | | 27,000 00 |
| " Interest and premium on A. V. R. R. Co's. Mortgage Bonds, | | 1,410 00 |
| | | $68,503 06 |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| By Coupon Bonds, purchased in 1870, | 1,000 00 | @ 76¼ | p.ct. | 762 50 | |
| " " " " " | 1,000 00 | " 76⅜ | " | 763 75 | |
| " " " " " | 6,000 00 | " 77 | " | 4,620 00 | |
| " " " " " | 7,000 00 | " 77½ | " | 5,425 00 | |
| " " " " " | 1,000.00 | " 78 | " | 780 00 | |
| " " " " " | 10,000.00 | " 78⅛ | " | 7,812 50 | |
| " " " " " | 25 000.00 | " 78¼ | " | 19,562 50 | |
| " Registered Bonds, " " | 1,150.50 | " 76½ | " | 880 13 | |
| " " " " " | 702 49 | " 78 | " | 547 93 | |
| " Registered Scrip, " " | 72.50 | " 77½ | " | 56 19 | |
| " " " " " | 47 96 | " 78 | " | 37 41 | |
| " " " " " with interest from Nov. 16th, 1863, | 10.00 | @ par | " | 10 00 | |
| " Coupon Bonds received for A. V R. R. Co's. Mortgage Bonds, | | | | 27,000 00 | |
| | | | | | 68,257 91 |
| Balance in Fund, | | | | | $ 245 15 |

*Total in Sinking Fund.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1860. | | $450,835 09 |
| Coupon Bonds purchased in 1870, | $51,000 00 | |
| Registered Bonds, " " | 1,852 99 | |
| Registered Scrip, " " | 130 46 | |
| Coupon Bonds received for A. V. R. R. Co's, Mortgage Bonds, | 27,000 00 | |
| | | 79.983 45 |
| | | $530,818 54 |

*Coutersigned Warrant Account.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount issued in 1861 and outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870 | | $83 80 |
| Amount issued in 1862 and outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | 74 44 | |
| Amount paid by Treasurer in 1870, | 3 25 | |
| | | 71 19 |
| Amount issued in 1864 and outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | 3 00 | |
| Amount paid by Treasurer in 1870, | 3 00 | |
| Amount issued in 1865 and outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | | 6 00 |
| Amount issued in 1868 and outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | | 50 |
| Amount issued in 1869 and outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | 29 37 | |
| Amount paid by Treasurer in 1870, | 29 37 | |
| Amount issued in 1870 per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1871, | 516,658 73 | |
| Amount paid by Treasurer in 1870, | 516,623 48 | |
| | | 35 25 |
| Total Countersigned Warrants outstanding, | | $196 74 |

*Allegheny County,*

*In Account with Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.*

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To amount State Tax collected for 1869, per receipts of State Treasurer, | | $17,000 00 |
| Cr. | | |
| By amount of State Tax, collected by County Treasurer from Duplicates 1869, and lien docket for former years, | $6,913 71 | |
| Less Treasurer's commission 1 per cent., | 69 13 | |
| | $ 6,844 58 | |
| By Countersigned Warrant favor of County Treasurer for deficiency, | 10,155 42 | |
| | | $17,000 00 |

*Tax of Twenty-seven Mills in 1862, for Interest on Rail Road Bonds.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Amount due tax-payers per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $1,046 85 |
| Amount refunded estate of L. R. Livingston, deceased, as per Appropriation No. 3, | 317 95 |
| Balance due Taxpayers | $728 90 |

## FUNDED DEBT.

*No. 1. Certificates of Loan, 6 per cent.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Aspinwall Anne, | $23,000 00 |
| Voeghtly, N., Jr., | 5,000 00 |
| Amount outstanding, | $28,000 00 |

*No. 2. Volunteer Bounty Bonds, 6 per cent.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $1,250 00 | |
| Amount issued in 1870, per list of Executive Com., | 100 00 | |
| | | 1,350 00 |
| Deduct amount redeemed as per appropriation No. 1, | | 750 00 |
| Amount outstanding, | | $600 00 |

*No. 3. Work House and Inebriate Asylum Bonds, 7 per cent.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $87,000 00 | |
| Amount issued, 2d series, April 1st, 1870, per Act of Assembly, | 75,000 00 | |
| | | $162,000 00 |
| Deduct amount redeemed in 1870, as per appropriation No. 35, | | 25,000 00 |
| Amount outstanding, | | $137, 000 00 |

*No. 4. Compromise Bonds, 5 per cent.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount of Coupon Bonds outstanding, per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $2,061,000 00 | |
| Amount issued in 1870, | 10,000 00 | |
| | | 2,071,000 00 |
| Deduct amount purchased and cancelled by Sinking Fund in 1870, | | 78,000 00 |
| Amount outstanding, viz.: 1778 bonds at 50 years from January 1st, 1863; 215 bonds at 20 years from Jan. 1st, 1863 | | $1,993,000 00 |
| Amount of Registered Bonds outstanding, per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $141,937 48 | |
| Amount issued in 1870 | 389 80 | |
| | | 142,327 28 |
| Deduct amount purchased by Sinking Fund in 1870, | $1 852 99 | |
| Deduct amount merged in Coupon Bonds in 1870 | 4,047 15 | |
| | | 5,900 14 |
| Amount outstanding, viz.: $118,680.14 at 50 years from January 1st, 1863, $17,747.00 at 20 years from Jan. 1st, 1863, | | $136,427 14 |
| Amount of Registered Scrip outstanding per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | $117 48 | |
| Amount issued in 1870, | 120 46 | |
| | | 237 94 |
| Deduct amount purchased by Sinking Fund in 1870, | 130 46 | |
| Deduct amount merged in Coupon Bonds in 1870, | 2 60 | |
| | | 133 06 |
| Amount outstanding | | $104 88 |

## RECAPITULATION.

*Funded Debt.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| No. 1. Certificates of Loan, 6 per cent., | | $28,000 00 |
| " 2. Volunteer Bounty Bonds, 6 per cent., | | 600 00 |
| " 3. Work House and Inebriate Asylum Bonds 7 per cent., | | 137,000 00 |
| " 4. Compromise Bonds, 5 per cent. Coupon, | $1,993,000 00 | |
| " " 5 " Registered, | 136,427 14 | |
| " Scrip 5 " " | 104 88 | |
| | | 2,129,532 02 |
| Total Funded Debt, | | $2,295.132 02 |

*Floating Debt.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Countersigned Warrants outstanding, | 196 74 |
| Compromise indebtedness not funded, exclusive of interest, | 144,000 00 |
| Total Floating Debt | 144,196 74 |

*Allegheny County.*

Dr.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| To Funded Debt, as per statement in detail | 2,295,132 02 | |
| " Floating " " " " | 144,196 74 | |
| | | 2,439,328 76 |
| Cr. | | |
| By balance due from County Treasurer, County Funds, | 177,254 17 | |
| " balance due from County Treasurer, Sinking Fund, | 245 15 | |
| " outstanding Taxes, 1860 to 1869, inclusive, and former years, due from Land Book and Lien Docket | 5,579 77 | |
| " outstanding County, Work House and Improvement Taxes, 1870, due by County Treasurer, less exonerations and compensation due him, | 96,927 38 | |
| " Deficit County liability, to balance, | 2,159,322 29 | |
| | | 2,439,328 76 |

*Valuation of Allegheny County.*

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| City of Pittsburgh, | Real Estate, | $15,667,858 00 | |
| " " " | Personal, | 378,856 00 | |
| " " " | Occupations | 2,142,739 00 | |
| | | | $18,189,453 00 |
| City of Allegheny, | Real Estate, | 6,122.931 00 | |
| " " " | Personal, | 235,234 00 | |
| " " " | Occupations | 1,241,221 00 | |
| | | | 7,599,386 00 |
| Nineteen Boroughs, | Real Estate, | 3,554 551 00 | |
| " " | Personal, | 126 255 00 | |
| " " | Occupations, | 822 913 00 | |
| | | | 4,503,719 00 |
| Forty-four Townships, | Real Estate, | 8,897,807 00 | |
| " " | Personal, | 797,738 00 | |
| " " | Occupations, | 1,927,868 00 | |
| | | | 11,023,413 00 |
| Total Valuation, | | | $41,315,971 00 |

*Number of Taxables.*

| | Resident. | Non-Resident. | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|
| City of Pittsburgh, | 23,376 | 2,408 | 25,784 |
| City of Allegheny, | 12,897 | 1,123 | 14,020 |
| Nineteen Boroughs, | 11,106 | 1,029 | 12,135 |
| Forty-four Townships, | 18,528 | 1,869 | 20,397 |
| | 65,907 | 6,429 | 72,336 |

### Statement of Exonerated Taxes Collected by County Treasurer from Lien Docket, for the several Districts of Allegheny County, in 1870.

| DISTRICTS. | Local Bounty | City. | City Poor. | School. | School Building. | Borough | Road. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| PITTSBURGH. | | | | | | | |
| Sixth Ward, old, | | 96 | | | | | |
| Seventh " | | | | 4 40 | 9 10 | | |
| Eighth " | | | 11 71 | | | | |
| Fourteenth Ward, | 1 10 | | | 3 88 | 2 20 | | |
| Sixteenth " | | | 1 43 | 2 04 | 2 05 | | |
| Twentieth " | | | | 48 | 60 | | |
| Twenty-third " | | 44 55 | 7 22 | 36 12 | 28 90 | | |
| BOROUGHS. | | | | | | | |
| Manchester, old, | 7 10 | | | | | 1 35 | |
| M'Keesport, " | | | | | | 56 72 | |
| TOWNSHIPS. | | | | | | | |
| Collins, old, | | 1 79 | | | | | |
| Wilkins " | 1 80 | | | 1 20 | | | |
| Liberty " | | 9 10 | | 4 52 | 3 90 | | 70 |
| | 10 00 | 56 40 | 20 36 | 52 64 | 46 75 | 58 07 | 70 |

## Statement of amount disbursed for Exonerated Taxes to the several Districts by the County Treasurer in 1870, with his commission thereon.

| DISTRICTS. | Commissions | Bounty. | School. | School Building. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **TOWNSHIPS.** | | | | |
| Collins, old, | 9 65 | 122 62 | 60 80 | |
| Liberty, " | 80 | | | 15 16 |
| | 10 45 | 1 2 62 | 60 80 | 15 10 |

## Statement of amount of Exonerated Taxes in hands of Joseph F. Denniston, County Treasurer, due the several Districts on January 1st, 1871.

| DISTRICTS. | Local Bounty. | City. | City Poor. | School. | School Building | Borough | Road. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **PITTSBURGH.** | | | | | | | |
| Third Ward, old | | | 13 28 | | 3 90 | | |
| Fourth " | | | | | 12 50 | | |
| Sixth " old, | 9 60 | 17 43 | 1 82 | | 11 36 | | |
| Seventh " " | | 17 36 | 61 10 | 15 82 | 38 02 | | |
| Eighth " | | 338 01 | 186 47 | | | | |
| Fourteenth Ward, | 1 10 | | | 3 88 | 2 20 | | |
| Sixteenth " | | | 1 43 | 2 04 | 2 05 | | |
| Twentieth " | | | | 48 | 60 | | |
| Twenty-third " | | 44 15 | 7 22 | 36 12 | 28 90 | | |
| **ALLEGHENY.** | | | | | | | |
| First Ward, | | 10 36 | 3 46 | | | | |
| Fourth " | 6 62 | | | | | | |
| **BOROUGHS.** | | | | | | | |
| Sewickley, | | | | 15 | | 07 | |
| Manchester, old, | 57 25 | | | | | 24 59 | |
| Lawrenceville " | | | | 8 54 | | 3 39 | |
| Sharpsburg, | | | | 81 | | | |
| Temperanceville, | | | | 32 | | 20 | |
| South Pittsburgh, | | | | 15 33 | | 4 82 | |
| Birmingham, | | | | 30 03 | | 27 67 | |
| East Birmingham, | | | | 108 84 | | 56 21 | |
| M'Keesport, | | | | 3 48 | | 89 07 | |
| Braddocks, | | | | 1 00 | 1 60 | | |
| **TOWNSHIPS.** | | | | | | | |
| Pitt, old, | | | | 78 26 | 31 32 | | |
| Collins, " | | 2 33 | | | | | 3 50 |
| Wilkins " | 65 20 | | | 28 06 | | | 1 77 |
| Liberty, " | | 31 59 | | 24 00 | 3 00 | | 14 84 |
| Patton, | | | | 3 07 | | | |
| Chartiers, | 6 00 | | | 3 60 | | | 35 |
| Reserve, | | | | 60 | | | 08 |
| Shaler, | | | | 6 45 | | | |
| Scott, | | | | 1 93 | | | |
| Harrison, | | | | 2 70 | | | 96 |
| | 145 77 | 461 63 | 274 78 | 375 51 | 135 45 | 206 02 | 21 50 |

*The following Districts having overdrawn the amounts due them on old land books, will be credited on account with the sums recited for them in above statement*

| | |
|---|---|
| Borough of Birmingham, overdrawn Borough Tax, | $ 10 01 |
| " East Birmingham, " " | 287 72 |
| " " " School Tax, | 179 50 |
| " South Pittsburgh, " " | 459 98 |
| Township of Shaler, " Road Tax, | 3 80 |

### *Work House and Inebriate Asylum.*

| | |
|---|---|
| Amount of total expenditure by County, as per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870 | $289,019 17 |
| Amount of cash paid Board of Managers, per George Albree, Esq., from License Fund, | 56,000 00 |
| Amount of cash paid Board of Managers, per George Albree, Esq., from one mill tax on account | 27,085 00 |
| Amount of seven per cent. bonds, 2d series, issued per Act of Assembly, approved January 28th, 1870 | 75,000 00 |
| Amount of cash for interest on bonds in 1870, ($105 undrawn), | 8,295 00 |
| " " cash paid stamps for bonds | 75 00 |
| " " cash paid Bakewell & Marthens, printing Acts of Assembly and bonds, | 26 50 |
| Amount of cash paid Archibald Pillow, License Commissioner, salary to Nov. 1st 1870 | 600 83 |
| Amount of cash paid John A. Scott, License Commissioner, salary to Dec. 21st, 1870, | 99 17 |
| Amount of cash paid Jonathan Neely, License Commissioner, salary to Dec 21st, 1870 | 700 00 |
| Amount of cash paid W H. M'Gee, License Commissioner, salary to Dec. 21st, 1870, | 700 00 |
| Amount of cash paid Jos. F Denniston, Treasurer of License Fund, salary to Dec. 31st, 1870, | 500 00 |
| Total expenditure by County to date, | $458,100 67 |

**Joseph F. Denniston**, *Treasurer of License Fund,*
*In account with the Board of Inspectors of Allegheny Co. Prison*

Dr.

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|---|---|---|
| To balance due Board of Inspectors, per Controller's Report to January 1st, 1870, | | $7,903 85 |
| To amount collected from Liquor License from Dec. 31st, 1869, to Dec 31st, 1870, | | 55,585 25 |
| | | $63,489 10 |

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|---|---|---|
| By amount paid on Warrants of Board of Inspectors, viz. — | | |
| George Albree, Treasurer of Board of Managers | $56,000 00 | |
| License Board, salaries, | 2,100 00 | |
| Treasurer of License Fund, salary, | 500 00 | |
| Printing and stamps, | 101 50 | 58 701 50 |
| Balance due Board of Inspectors, Jan. 1st, 1871, | | $4,787 60 |

The following statement has been furnished by the Secretary of the Board of Managers for publication in this Annual Report.

*Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Board of Managers of Allegheny County Work House, during the year 1870.*

Dr.

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|---|---|---|
| Cash, Balance on hand per last report, | $ 15,647 65 | |
| " from Prison Inspectors, | 158,085 00 | |
| " Interest, | 148 02 | |
| " Amount paid contractors beyond estimates as per last report, | 2,617 10 | |
| | | $176,49 777 |

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|---|---|---|
| Travelling expenses, | $181 11 | |
| Tools and implements, | 400 92 | |
| Advertising, | 25 00 | |
| Office expenses, | 338 32 | |
| Barr & Moser, Architects, | 2,000 00 | |
| S. H Geyer, Solicitor, | 200 00 | |
| Furnishing Prison, | 1,379 79 | |
| Clothing for prisoners, | 2,302 98 | |
| Feed and live stock, | 1,223 82 | |
| Salaries, | 2,591 91 | |
| Keeping and subsistence of prisoners, | 14.422 83 | |
| Construction, | 132,586 27 | |
| Miscellaneous, | 9,989 27 | |
| | | 167,645 22 |
| Cash, balance Dec. 31st, 1870, | | $8,852 55 |

Personally appeared Henry Lambert, Controller of Allegheny County, who being duly sworn, deposed and said, that the Statement of the Fiscal Affairs of said County to January 1st, 1871, as submitted by him this day, is correct and true, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and is a transcript of the books as kept in his office.

HENRY LAMBERT.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 24th day of January, 1871.

F. H. COLLIER,
*Assistant Judge.*

# ALLEGHENY COUNTY HOME.

## Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1st, 1870, to January 1st, 1871.

The "Home" is located at "Woodville Station," "Woodville Post office," Allegheny County, Pa.

The following named persons constitute the Board:

James G. Murray, President, Moorhead Post Office, Pa.
Abdiel McClure, Secretary, 362 Penn street, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Thomas Varner, Carrick Post Office, Pa.

Superintendent,
JAMES M. M'ELROY,
Woodville P. O., Allegheny County, Pa.

General Agent,
ROBERT H. DAVIS,
Allegheny, Pa.

### RECEIPTS, 1870.

| | |
|---|---|
| Unexpended balance, January 1st, 1870, | $ 1,921 30 |
| Warrants drawn on County Treasurer, | 23,670 26 |
| Collected by J. M. M'Elroy, Superintendent, | |
| J. H. Oliver, for a cow and calf, | 70 00 |
| John Thompson, for sheep, | 65 0 |
| Mr. Barker, for wool | 20 70 |
| Robert H. Davis, for three calves, | 45 00 |
| C. Hope, for one calf, | 5 00 |
| J. Lea, for one lamb, | 5 00 |
| S Hare & Son, discount on mower, | 10 00 |
| T. C. Jenkins & Bro., excess of warrant, | 2 00 |
| Inmates, | 4 03 |
| Hides and calf skins, | 30 81 |
| James Mc Porter, for meat, | 2 53 |
| J. Woods, for ice, | 50 |
| Pigeons, | 2 50 |
| J. Prestly, | 2 00 |
| Mr. Jordan, | 1 00 |
| Esquire Nicholson, | 1 00 |
| Collected by Robert H. Davis, | 8,028 23 |
| Interest received balance in Bank, | 58 40 |
| | $ 33,945 26 |

### Expenditures, 1870.

| | |
|---|---|
| Wheat and flour, | $ 1,078 63 |
| Coffee, tea, sugar, molasses, fish, &c., | 2,008 61 |
| Meat, | 1,666 69 |
| Dry goods and clothing, | 1,533 50 |
| Hats, caps and shoes, | 504 50 |
| Drugs, medicines and medical instruments, | 244 64 |
| Repairs, white-washing, papering, &c. | 368 81 |
| Tolls and other expenses to and from Pittsburgh and elsewhere, besides all travelling expenses incidental to the transaction of the general business, | 374 34 |
| Books, stationery, stamps, postage, "Home," School and Office, | 54 75 |
| Mining coal, | 725 99 |
| Seeds—Clover, timothy, potatoes, garden seeds and plants, | 130 33 |
| Tin ware and tin work, | 57 63 |
| Hardware, | 95 42 |
| Queensware and glass ware, | 48 44 |
| Brooms and brushes, | 67 75 |
| Farm implements, (ordinary,) | 66 23 |
| Carpets, from Thompson & Groetzinger, | 136 21 |
| Ironing a new sled, | 31 70 |
| Blacksmithing, horse-shoeing, repairs, &c., | 138 65 |
| House furnishing, | 123 17 |
| Castings, grate-bars, iron kettle, &c., | 57 82 |
| Tobacco, | 208 63 |
| Steam fitting, plumbing, &c., | 127 32 |
| Lamps and lamp oil, | 70 80 |
| Potatoes for use, | 65 10 |
| Trees and shrubbery, | 32 70 |
| Two clocks from J. R. Reed & Co., | 33 00 |
| Harness and stable expenses, | 132 26 |
| Live stock purchased, | 138 50 |
| Paints and oil, | 17 18 |
| Louis A. Fisher, | 8 00 |
| Fees paid Magistrates, Constables, &c., | 312 30 |
| Lumber for general repairs, coffins, &c., | 335 12 |
| Salaries, to wit: | |
| Superintendent, | 1,200 00 |
| Farmer, | 600 00 |
| Matron, | 487 50 |
| Teacher, | 350 00 |
| Chaplain, | 150 00 |
| Physician, | 400 00 |
| Robert H. Davis Director, | 25 00 |
| James G Murray, Director, | 25 00 |
| Abdiel M'Clure, Director, | 25 00 |
| On account new tenant house, | 186 92 |
| Mowing machine, | 175 00 |
| Threshing machine, | 394 00 |
| Out door relief, | 5,717 36 |
| " West. Penn'a Hospital" at Dixmont, | 5,276 48 |
| County Commissioners for insane at Dixmont, | 3,124 30 |
| " Penn'a. Training School," for 1869 and 1870, | 75 24 |
| " Pittsburgh Infirmary," | 82 45 |
| " Homœopathic Hospital," Pittsburgh, | 17 50 |
| Directors of the Poor of Allegheny, | 296 07 |
| Guardians of the Poor of Pittsburgh on account, | 277 66 |
| Guardians of the Poor of Philadelphia, | 58 20 |
| Directors of the Poor of Westmoreland County, | 233 14 |
| Overseers of the Poor of Borough of Indiana, | 65 60 |
| Charles & Peebles, | 148 00 |
| Insurance, | 247 50 |
| State Taxes, 1870 | 1 57 |
| Mrs. Louisa McKee, deceased | 422 95 |
| Indenture Fund placed at interest, | 75 00 |
| Mrs. Mary E Kaufman, Franklin Co., | 40 00 |
| Miss Clara Obey, | 8 32 |
| Newspapers, | 38 00 |
| Balance | 2,726 78 |
| Total, | $33,945 26 |

### *Collections by Robert H. Davis, 1870.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| From A. and I. Tesh, for their daughter, | | $ 1,262 80 |
| A. Abbott, for Wm. Kaphahen, | | 245 56 |
| John Redman, for Wm Y. Dryden, | | 77 99 |
| Philip Pferman, for Thos Lear, | | 75 00 |
| Francis Rodgers, for Mrs Hanegan, | | 40 00 |
| Thomas Varner, Esq, for Samuel Stewart, | | 187 60 |
| Jacob Bown, for Henry Bown, | | 150 00 |
| Wm. Dunshee, for A. T. Dunshee, deceased, | | 412 24 |
| Mrs. Sarah Irwin, for James Irwin | | 100 00 |
| Daniel McKee, for Mrs. Louisa McKee, | | 44 80 |
| John McKee, for Mrs. Louisa McKee, | | 125 00 |
| Mrs. Susan Brown, for Mrs. Louisa McKee, | | 156 65 |
| Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, for Mrs. Louisa McKee, | | 70 00 |
| James Dugan, for Rudolph & Dickson, | | 58 99 |
| John Banks, on his own account, | | 8 45 |
| W K. Nesbit, for Miss Clara Obey, | | 8 32 |
| George Mertz, for Francis J. Hull, | | 20 00 |
| Rev. John Patterson, for Mary Elizabeth Ware, | | 15 00 |
| Charles Haas, for Harry Allen, | | 20 00 |
| Frederick Haas, for Mary E. Smith, | | 20 00 |
| Mrs. John Sereibs, costs in mortgage account, | | 5 50 |
| Alex. Hays, Esq, of M. Wagenhouser, } Fines for selling liquor on the Sabbath. | | 25 00 |
| R B Abrams, of Jiles Callow and wife, } | | 25 00 |
| Jas Kelly, deceased, of J. Walton, } | | 5 00 |
| Henry Swift, Esq., of Wilkinsburg, for selling liquor to an inebriate, | | 3 00 |
| Received from other Poor Districts: | | |
| From Washington County, | $ 501 84 | |
| Erie County, | 54 02 | |
| Worth Township, Butler County, | 70 25 | |
| City of Allegheny, | 827 20 | |
| City of Pittsburgh, on account | 2,870 52 | |
| Indiana Borough, | 23 45 | |
| Schuylkill County, | 63 10 | |
| Westmoreland County, | 245 79 | |
| Philadelphia, | 210 16 | |
| | | 4,866 33 |
| | | $ 8,028 23 |

### *Disbursements by Robert H. Davis in 1870.*

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| Paid to other Poor Districts, viz.: | | |
| City of Allegheny, | $ 296 07 | |
| City of Pittsburgh, on account, | 277 66 | |
| City of Philadelphia, | 58 20 | |
| Westmoreland County, | 233 14 | |
| Borough of Indiana, | 65 60 | |
| | | 930 00 |
| Paid the following named Institutions, | | |
| Pittsburgh Infirmary, | $ 82 45 | |
| Penn'a. Training School, 1869 and 1870 | 75 24 | |
| Homœopathic Hospital, Pittsburgh, | 17 50 | |
| | | $ 175 19 |
| Paid Insurance as follows, viz.:— | | |
| Insurance Co. of North America on the "Home,". | 75 00 | |
| " " " Furniture, Stores, &c., | 87 50 | |
| Manufacturers and Merchants' Ins. Co., on the "Home," | 75 00 | |
| | | 237 50 |
| Paid Mrs. Mary E. Kaufman, Franklin County, | 40 00 | |
| Charles & Peebles, | 148 00 | |
| For medicine, Louis Houser, | 5 00 | |
| State Tax, 1870 | 1 57 | |
| Indenture Fund, at interest, | 75 00 | |
| Newspapers, | 38 00 | |
| Miss Clara Obey, | 8 32 | |
| J. J. Gillespie, framing mottoes, | 14 25 | |
| Pratt & Benney, hats and caps, | 20 00 | |
| Expenses, | 258 44 | |
| Deposited in First National Bank of Allegheny to credit of the "Home," to wit: W. M. Logan, $151.00; Erie Co., $54.02; Wm. Dunshee, $412.24; A Tesh, per John Brown, Esq., $1,052.80; Samuel Stewart, per Thomas Varner, Esq, $187.60 | 1,857 66 | |
| | | 3,809 60 |
| Fees, Fares, &c., in taking persons to the "Home," the several Hospitals, &c., | 93 90 | |
| To enable persons to get to their friends and their homes, | 138 70 | |
| Magistrates for "Orders of Relief," | 16 80 | |
| Fees and costs in "Order of Removal" cases | 72 08 | |
| Out-door relief, including bills of Physicians, Undertakers, &c., | 3,572 19 | |
| Balance, | 324 96 | |
| | | $ 8,028 23 |

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| Whole cost of "Home" and Farm proper, including all salaries, repairs, &c, | $15,581 98 |
| Cost of each inmate for the year, | 86 56⅔ |
| Cost of each inmate per week, | 1 66½ |

This is the actual paid cost, without including the market value of the productions of the Farm.

### INMATES.

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| Number of inmates in the "Home" January 1st, 1870, | | 190 |
| Admitted during the year, | | 195 |
| Born in the "Home" in the year 1870, | | 11 |
| Total number, | | 396 |
| Discharged during the year, | 188 | |
| Died in the "Home" during the year, | 22 | |
| | | —210 |
| Number remaining December 31st, 1870, | | 186 |
| Adult Males, | 102 | |
| Adult Females, | 46 | |
| Boys, 10 years old and under, | 21 | |
| Girls, " " " | 17 | |
| | | —186 |
| Average number during 1870, | | 180 |

### PRODUCTS OF THE FARM.

| | | | |
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| Wheat, | 290 bushels. | Potatoes, | 2,150 bushels. |
| Oats, | 765 " | Tomatoes, | 100 " |
| Rye, | 40 " | Turnips, | 50 " |
| Pork, | 7,623 pounds. | Corn, in the ear, | 2 975 " |
| Beef, | 2,240 " | Hay, | 60 tons. |
| Veal, | 986 " | Cabbage, | 4,000 heads. |

Besides a good supply of the smaller vegetables and fruits. Also, a considerable amount of butter, and an abundant supply of milk.

### LIVE STOCK ON THE FARM.

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| Horses, | 7 | Cows and heifers, | 27 |
| Hogs and shoats, | 50 | One Durham bull | 1 |

All the labor of the Farm has been done by the inmates, as well as all house-work, making and mending of clothing, knitting, &c., &c.

### OUR INSANE AT "WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HOSPITAL."

The whole number of insane patients charged to the "Home" this year is 72. The number charged direct by the Hospital to the "Home" is 46; and of those charged first by "Dixmont" Hospital to the County Commissioners, and by them to us, is 26.

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| The amount paid to "Western Pennsylvania Hospital" is | $5,276 48 |
| The amount paid County Commissioners for insane, | 3,124 30 |
| Total cost of insane in "Western Pennsylvania Hospital," | $8,400 78 |
| Total cost of our insane for the year 1869 | 8,318 50 |

We have collected from those liable for the keeping of their friends at "Dixmont" Hospital $1,888 95. A large part of this was for accounts of previous years. From relatives made liable under the law, we have collected the sum of $1,058.69, being for expenses of some of their friends paid to other institutions by us, and for keeping others in the "Home." From liquor fines we received direct $58.00, besides $75 00 paid to County Treasurer for our fund, by Wm. Schmolz, Esq., of Ormsby Borough, and, of course, does not appear in our list of receipts.

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| We paid other Poor Districts, | $ 930 67 |
| We collected from other Poor Districts, | 4 866 33 |

P. S.—James H. Berry, Esq., paid $25 00, being amount of fine imposed on Peter Berris, for violation of Sabbath liquor law, and not embraced in foregoing account.

The general health of the inmates has been remarkably good—the number of deaths only 22 in the whole year; showing five less than the average number of deaths during the previous ten years. That average was 27 per annum.

Following is a list of those who died in 1870.

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| Infant child of Martha Butler, | aged 21 days. |
| Infant child of Rose Haney, | " 30 " |
| Clara Fogle, | " 11 years |
| Thomas Lotus, | " 16 " |
| Edward Gibson, | " 35 " |
| John Beitler, | " 40 " |
| John Prussing, | " 41 " |
| Frederick Foglebaugh, | " 42 " |
| George Scott | " 59 " |
| William Simpson | " 60 " |
| Mrs. Anna White, | " 63 " |
| Mrs. Mary Hight, | " 66 " |
| Jacob Stoup, | " 68 " |
| William Herron | " 70 " |
| Mrs. Ursula Petcher, | " 71 " |
| Henry Shopane | " 71 " |
| Mrs. Christina Osburn | " 75 " |
| Joseph Gillespie | " 80 " |
| George Boughman | " 70 " |
| John McDonald | " 82 " |
| Daniel Scully | " 82 " |
| Charles Hackey | " 91 " |

Aggregate of the eighteen adults is 1,116 years. Only four of the adults under 60 years, average 39½ years; fourteen, only one of which was under 60 years, average 72 years.

### CHARTIERS VALLEY RAILWAY.

In our Report a year ago we expressed the hope that this railway would be in operation past our "Home" during the year 1870. Our hope has been fully realized. Two daily trains, each way, between Pittsburgh and Canonsburg, are now running. The company has established a station, called "Woodville," at Lea's Mill, just in front of our Farm.

The opening of this road is already proving greatly advantageous to the "Home." Officers and others taking persons to our place can leave Pittsburgh twice a day by the cars of this road from the Union Depot, or from South Pittsburgh and Temperanceville, thus avoiding the expense of horse and buggy hire, as well as bad roads much of the year.

### OTHER DISTRICTS.

During the year we have collected from other Poor Districts the sum of $4.866 00, and have paid to other districts $930.67.

We have several unsettled accounts with other districts, which we hope to have closed during the year 1871.

By the Act known as the "Consolidation Act," several of our most profitable and populous Townships, and the Borough of Lawrenceville, were taken from our district and added to Pittsburgh. By agreement between the Directors of the "Home" and the "Guardians of the Poor of Pittsburgh," the business and paupers belonging to said townships and borough were transferred to said "Guardians" on or about July 1st, 1868. The said agreement also provided for an equal division of the poor taxes of said borough and townships for said year 1868, between the Pittsburgh district and that of the "Home." The said townships and borough being consolidated with Pittsburgh, the poor taxes were collected and paid into the treasury of said "Guardians." Up to this time we have been unable to get our half of the said taxes, because the "Guardians" are willing to give us only the quarter instead of one-half, as provided in the arrangement made.

### WAYFARERS.

Several hundred transient poor persons have been accommodated in the Home with meals, lodgings and articles of clothing, who were travelling from place to place in search of friends and employment.

The amount paid as out-door relief for 1870 is $5,717 36.

The number of persons benefitted by this outlay is fully eight hundred.

By extending this out-door relief many families are saved from great distress and suffering.

A small amount contributed thus to a man or woman accustomed to earn their own and their childrens' living by their own labor and industry while well, or when they have constant employment, but who for the present may either have sickness in their families, or be thrown out of their regular work, is calculated to encourage them to renewed efforts as soon as restored to health or employment; to sustain those depending upon their labor, as well as to maintain their own self-respect.

We have pleasure in acknowledging the gifts of Newspapers, Pamphlets and illustrated monthly publications from W. A Gildenfenney, John W. Pittock, James J. East, J. Washington & Co., and S. A. Clarke & Co. Also, frequent packages of papers from proprietors of "Pittsburgh Gazette," "Dispatch," "Chronicle," "Commercial," and "Presbyterian Banner."

A pair of beautiful Iron Vases were presented by Messrs. Graff & Hugus, to set in front grounds.

### INSURANCE.

Our Insurance Policies that expired in 1869 and 1870 were all renewed for the term of three years, by the payment of double the amount charged for one year; thus saving the cost of one year's premium.

The "Home" buildings are insured in the following named Companies, to wit:—

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| In Allegheny Insurance Company, | $ 5 000 | Policy expires | July 18, 1872 |
| " Western, " | 5,000 | " | " 22, 1872 |
| " Delaware Mutual " | 5,000 | " | " 22, 1872 |
| " Citizens " | 5 000 | " | " 25, 1872 |
| " Manuf's & Merc'ts " | 5 000 | " | Jan. 13, 1873 |
| " Insurance Co. of North America | 5,000 | " | " 13, 1873 |
| On furniture, clothing stores, &c.— | | | |
| In Insurance Co. of North America | 5,000 | " | March 28, 1873 |
| On barn and stable, with their contents, | | | |
| In Allegheny Insurance Company, | 7,500 | " | July 18, 1872 |
| Whole amount covered by insurance, | $42,500 | | |

Robert H. Davis, who has been a member of our Board for the last twelve years, declined a re-election last year, and Thomas Varner, Esq, of Baldwin Township, was elected in his place. At the first meeting of the Directors, in November, 1870, the new Board was organized by electing James G. Murray, President, Abdiel McClure, Secretary, and Robert H. Davis, General Agent.

At the same meeting, the following named persons were unanimously re-elected, to serve one year from and after January 1st, 1871:

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| Superintendent, | James M. McElroy. |
| Chaplain, | Rev. C. G. Braddock. |
| Matron | Miss Mary H. Jordan. |
| Teacher, | Mrs. Sophia C. Hays. |
| Farmer, | James Mc. Porter. |
| Physician, | David Donaldson, M.D. |

The Directors take pleasure in saying, that the several officers connected with the "Home" have performed their duties to the satisfaction of the Board.

James G. Murray, }
Abdiel McClure, } *Directors.*
Thomas Varner, }